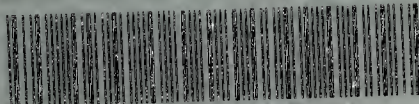


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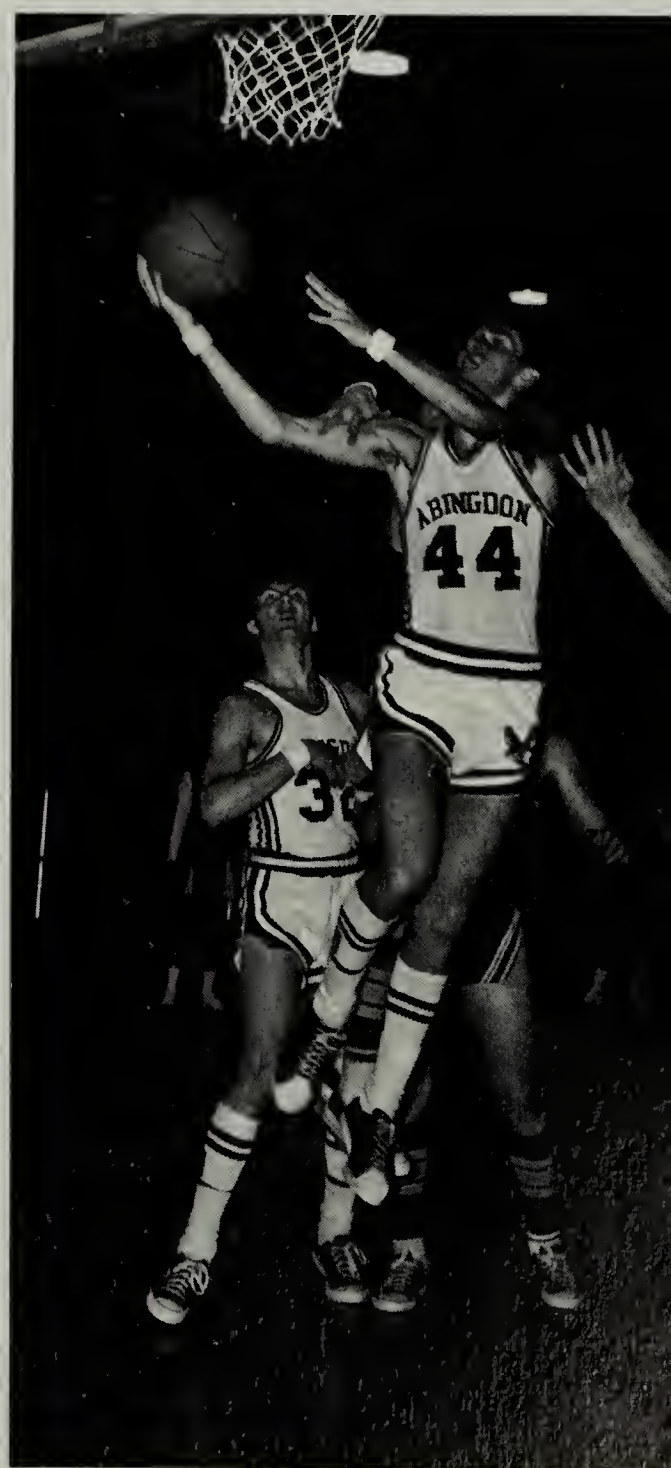
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1. Cheerleaders, Susan Pinkerton and Shelia Thompson, boost spirit at the Homecoming football game. 2. Debbie Brown and escort Tim Spencer smile for the crowd after Debbie was crowned Homecoming Queen. 3. Jim Anderson runs for a touchdown at the Abingdon vs. Saltville football game.





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## it all began . . .

### autumn

yes, 1969-1970 . . . new classes . . . new classmates . . . new principal . . . room numbers changed . . . lost eighth graders and seniors . . . classes began . . . football games began . . . clubs organized . . . Tobacco Festival . . . floats . . . homecoming . . . senior play . . . Sadie Hawkins dance . . . all-county band . . . band festivals . . . Halloween . . . Thanksgiving . . . pep rallies . . . tests . . . F.T.A. convention . . . Hi-Y district conference . . . student teachers . . . club projects . . . raccoon hunt . . . no homecoming floats? . . . sock hops . . . N.H.S. tap-in . . . senior ring assembly . . . F.T.A. assembly . . . Moratorium Day . . . Hi-Y induction service . . . Interact vs. Faculty Basketball game . . . classes continue . . .







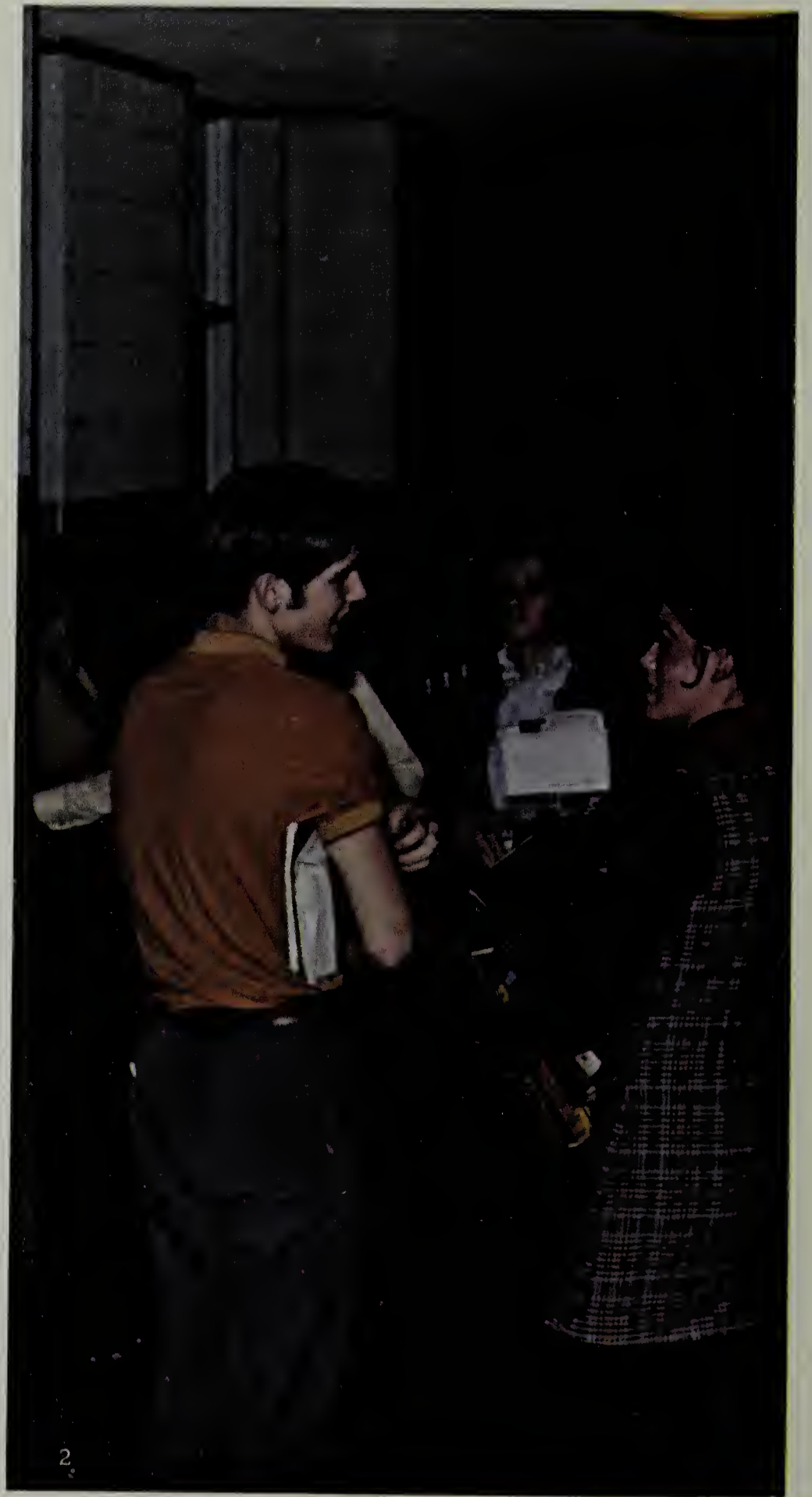
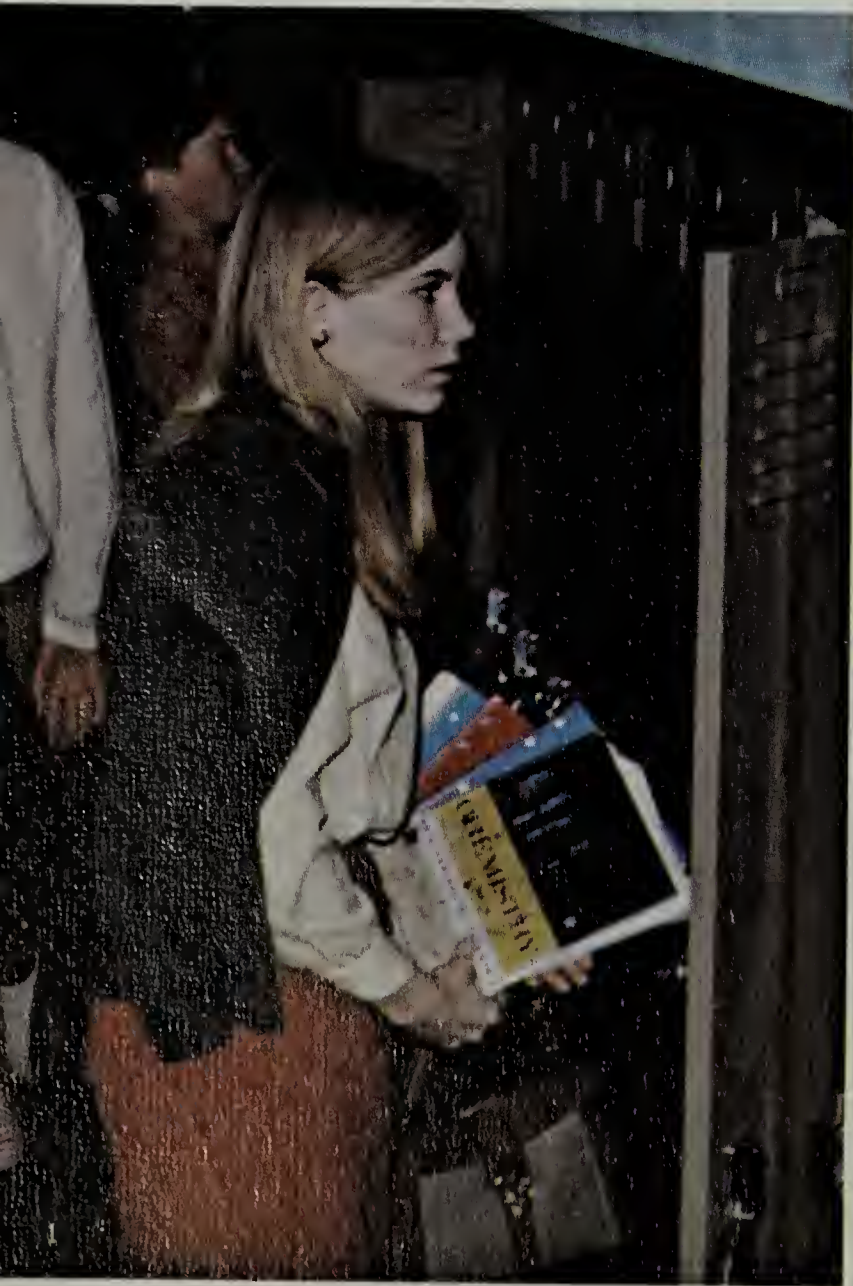
1. Members of the Senior Play cast take a final bow. 2. Band members prepare for the trip to Richmond for the Governor's inauguration parade. 3. Ellen Pinkerton receives her senior ring from Mr. Pigman and Karen Morgan. 4. Gus Sales and John Legard support the Falcons. 5. Marsha Via taps Nan Arrington into the National Honor Society.



# snow brings icy roads and "no school" . . .

## winter

Christmas: dance, tree, door decorations . . . snow . . . "No school today in Washington County, Virginia" . . . All-Virginia West Band . . . Newspaper editorial changes . . . pep rallies . . . Seniors measured for caps and gowns . . . ordered announcements . . . Band attends inaugural . . . eleven school days missed -- snow! . . . Plans for graduation made . . . Virginia High game "skirmish" . . . NO MID-TERM EXAMS! . . .







1. Kathy Bartlett stops at her locker between classes. 2. Charlie Brown and Barbara Buchanan talk as they go to their next class. 3. The Falcon marching band performs at the Southwestern Band Festival in Bristol, Tennessee. 4. Dan Mathews scores for Abingdon during the district tournament.



# cold winds bring sports championships . . .

## winter

Coach Stacy leaves . . . Coach Casto Ramsey arrives . . . Valentine's Day . . . dance . . . Phyllis South-Valentine Queen . . . forensics . . . debating team chosen . . . Wrestling champions . . . Tommy Blevins State Champ

. . . A.H.S. District Six Wrestling Champions . . . Basketball champs too ! . . . eighth grade, junior varsity, and varsity -- all Washington County Basketball Champs! . . . One-act Play . . . "The Last Leaf" . . .







1. Elizabeth Bowman sings during the National Honor Society talent show. 2. Alice Morgan and Susan Barrow perform in a pep rally. 3. Julia Dunn, Sandy Owens, and Debbie Musick, as hillbillies, visit A.H.S. as part of an assembly. 4. Jim Dixon explains to Marsha Via "How to take a bath" in the Senior Play. 5. Libby Cox, F.T.A. president, serves Mary Webber and Mrs. Roberts during the Future Teachers tea. Mrs. Elliott watches.





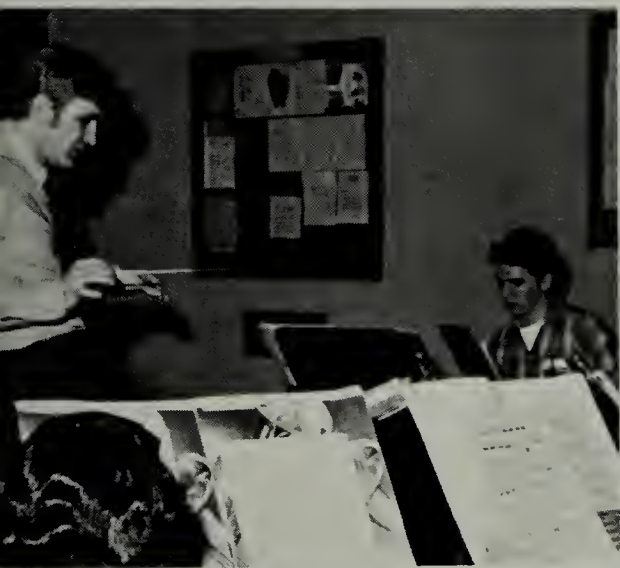
a time for studying . . .





## academics

Classes . . . pens . . . pencils . . . books  
. . . notes . . . assignments . . . New  
classes -- Humanities and Current History  
. . . listening . . . watching . . . helping  
. . . teaching . . . tests . . . grades . . .  
distributive education . . . foreign lan-  
guages . . . geometry . . . "Macbeth" . . .  
biology . . . homework . . . learning . . .  
quizzes . . . students . . . "reading . . .  
writing . . . arithmetic" . . . reports . . .  
a time for studying -- a time for living . . .



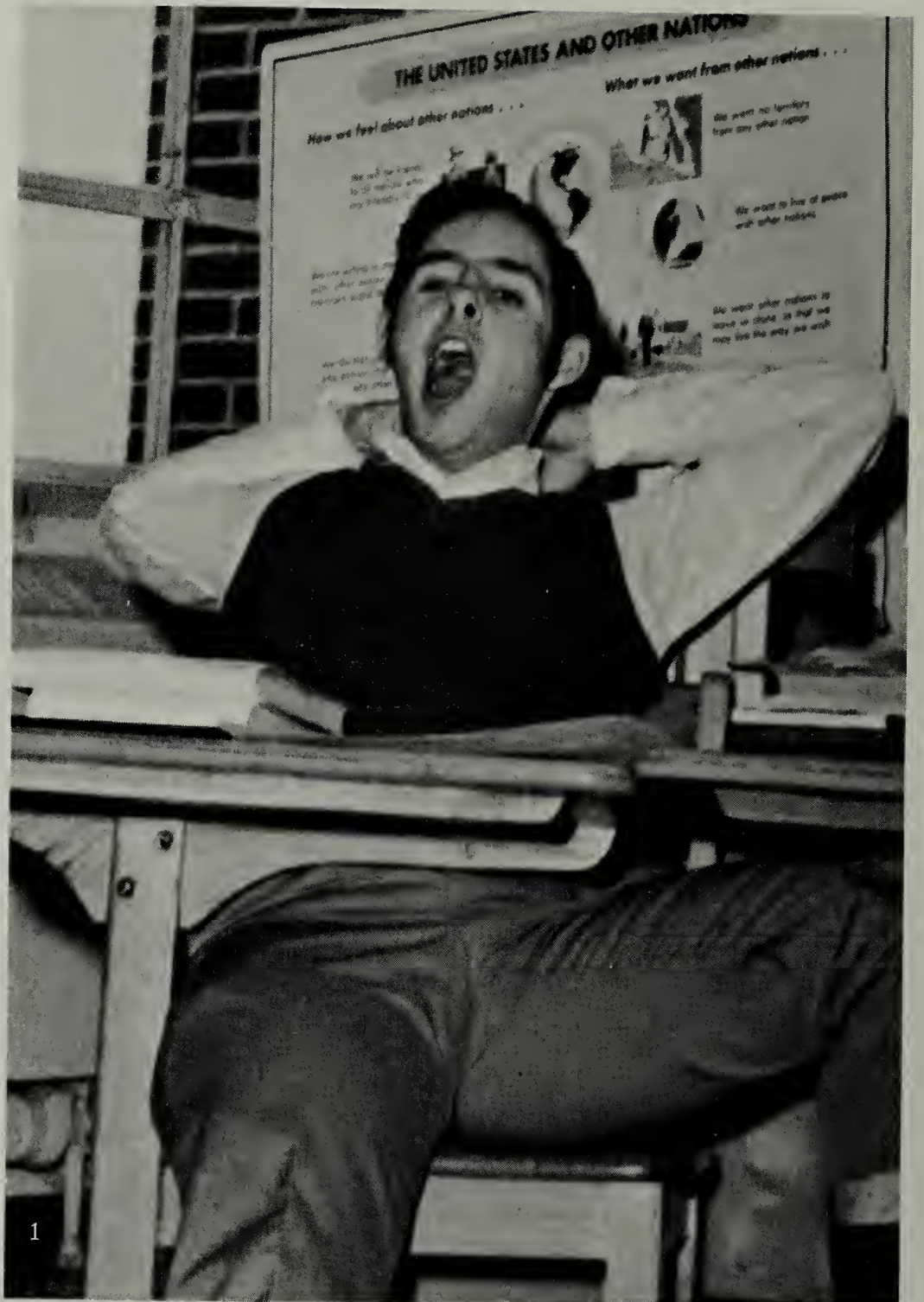
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## passing time . . .

### study hall

Senior study . . . new and different  
. . . and no teacher? . . . Pass notes  
. . . Who wants to go to the library?  
. . . Mrs. Hicks, may I have a pass?  
. . . Mrs. Mills says, "NO TALK-  
ING" . . . click goes the auditorium  
clock . . . Quit kicking my seat! . . .  
Who said study's boring . . . Did you  
see that new boy? . . . gossip time  
. . . time to think . . . time to re-  
lax . . . time to study . . . time to  
play . . . time for the bell . . .







1. Kenny Shuman decides sleeping beats studying as he leans back for his beauty sleep. 2. Mrs. Moore's French class has to pay attention to keep up in her class. 3. Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Castellanos discuss the opportunities of foreign languages. 4. Jimmy Nickels and his classmates look like they are really studying hard this period. 5. The library study hall works hard when they're not sleeping. 6. Mrs. Castellanos is directing her Spanish class in a little contest.



## france and spain . . .

### foreign languages

"Buenas dias, clase! . . . translation . . . drills . . . singing in Spanish? . . . vocabulary test . . . Spanish crossword puzzle . . . did you say hotdog is perocallienté? . . . en la biblioteca? . . . contests -- April 4th -- Spanish . . . April 11th -- French . . . at Virginia High . . . Ah bonjour, Madame . . . translate the first 3 pages of "Ça va" . . . new French books . . . Mrs. Moore, may I buy another "Amsco"? . . . concentration . . . pronunciation . . . Foreign language . . . Communication!! . . .





1. Kermit Swan, Tommy Fugate, and Jack Clark take time out in art. 2. Sharon Honaker, Bobby McConnell, Glenn Weller, and Susan Price, members of the high school band, await Mr. Tyler's cue. 3. Tommy Williams performs for the student body during the Christmas concert. 4. Mr. Tyler gives the chorus a break while he takes a rest himself. 5. The marching band practices field shows after school for the football games at night.





## expressions . . .

### the arts

singing . . . practice after school . . . "all band members be at football games" . . . summer band camp . . . march . . . practice . . . majorettes . . . work . . . all adds up to a successful band . . . Did you say express oneself creatively? . . . blue and yellow make green . . . clay figures . . . wire sculpture . . . Does oil paint come out of clothes? . . . crayons and colored chalk are different . . . finger painting . . .



# wood . . .

## shop

"Did he say make a gun rack?  
How? . . . drills . . . saws . . .  
wood . . . I've lost those nails  
again! . . . What kind of wood  
did he say to use? . . . You'd  
better sand it first . . . carving  
. . . wood shavings . . . "Did  
you say Industrial Arts?" . . .



1. Johnny Singleton and Shawn Morgan help tie and pack tobacco on the baskets. 2. Barbara Parris and Vivian Atkins eat a meal they have prepared in home economics. 3. Richie Anderson sees that it takes cleaning up after the cooking to make a good grade. 4. Bev Elliott and John Legard work hard in mechanical drawing on their drawings. 5. Wayne Pierce works with wood in the shop. 6. Dorinda Branson makes a small child's dress in home economics class.





# more than planting and harvesting . . .

## agriculture

Learning to farm . . . films . . . Do you need a permit to drive a tractor? . . . packing tobacco . . . mow the girls' softball field . . . Mr. Oliver, is this a plant or a weed? . . . POISON IVY! . . . the average rainfall in Virginia . . . the art of growing things . . .



## needles . . .

### home economics

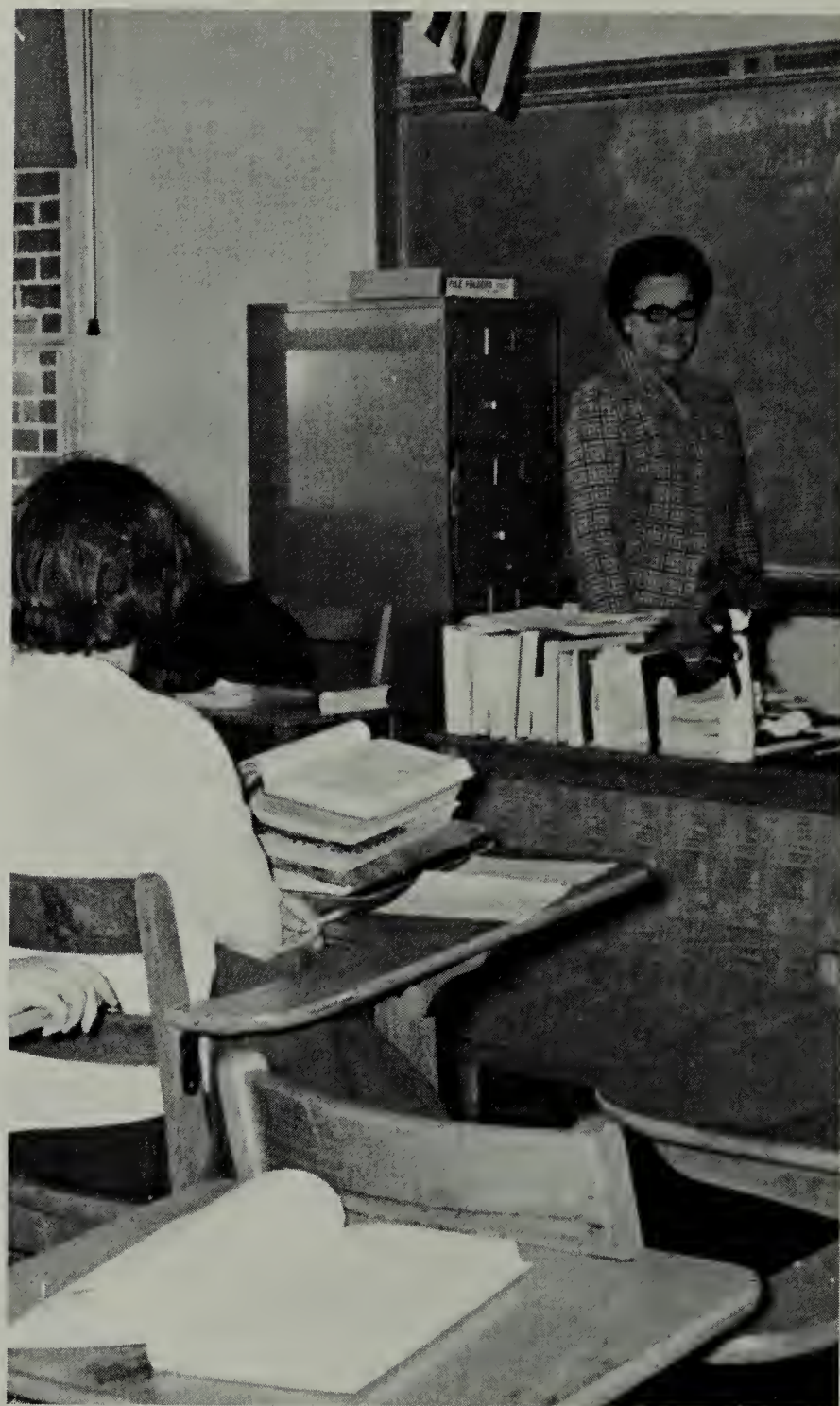
Anybody can cook or sew -- anybody except me . . . Do you think these seams HAVE to be straight? . . . Hey, I like your new pattern. . . READ YOUR GUIDE SHEET, GIRLS! . . . Add half a cup of flour . . . "Uh, oh, whadda ya do if your fabric is scorched?" . . . I forgot to add an egg . . . I put my zipper in ONLY four times . . . Home Ec . . . Child Care . . . Sewing . . . Cooking . . . Study . . . Home making . . . better homes . . . better individuals . . .



# to be or not to be . . .

## english

No more diagraming . . . determiners? . . . predicate adjectives . . . "Where for art thou, Romeo?" . . . essays -- "What Endangers Wildlife in Virginia" . . . dictionary skills . . . "Freedom's Challenge" . . . Lady Macbeth said what? . . . forensics . . . sentence structure . . . book reports . . . "The Monkey's Paw" . . . Huck Finn and slavery . . . The Devil and who? . . . speeches -- to convince, to inform, to entertain . . . Edgar Allen Poe . . . eighth grade, and a new teacher -- Mrs. Wagner . . . linking verb compliments . . . skits . . . rhythm in poetry? . . . plot . . . setting . . . characters . . . "Mrs. Roberts, are we required to write this?" . . . What are you doing your term paper on? . . . footnotes . . . my own personal experience . . . another test . . . so much crammed into one period . . . proper spelling . . . ENGLISH -- it improves the individual! . . .







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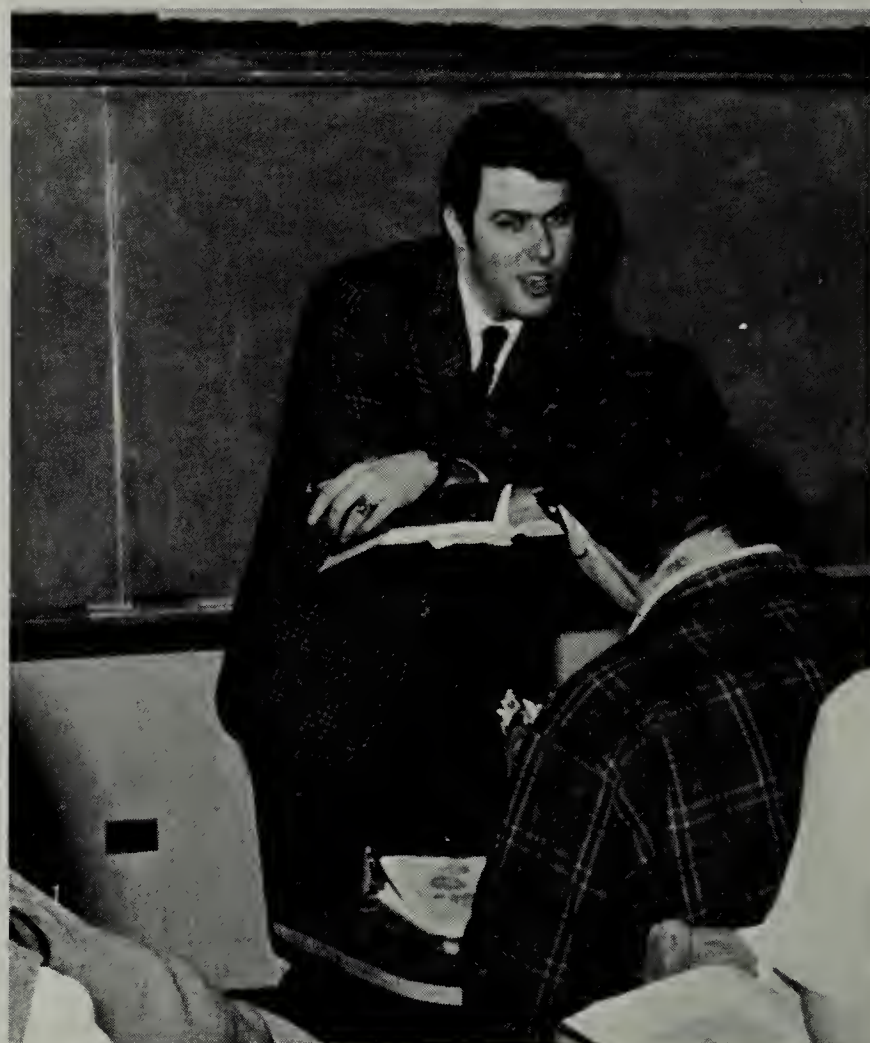
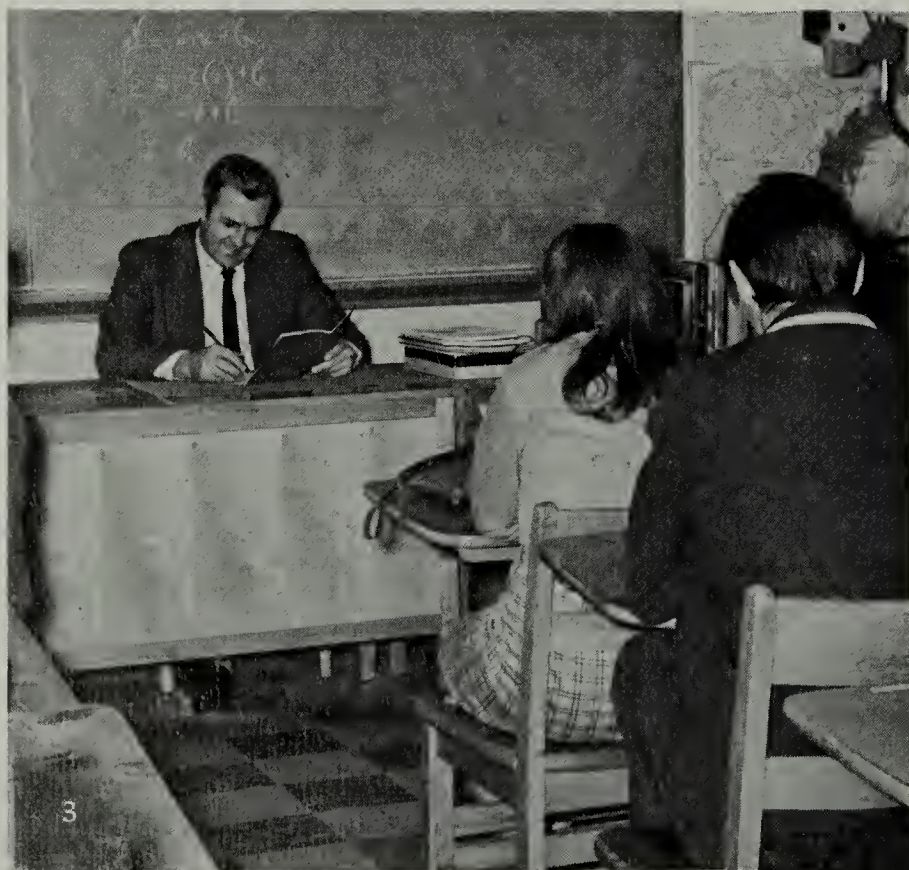
1. Mrs. Shelton lectures as her students listen.  
 2. Mrs. Roberts gives Gus Sales a few points in English, and as Mrs. Roberts says, "A hint to the wise is sufficient." 3. Mrs. Woolwine and Marsha Via discuss "Hamlet" during humanities class.  
 4. Mrs. Woolwine's English class displays a project done while discussing the middle English period. 5. Mrs. Wagner emphasizes grammar to students in her eighth grade class.



# old and new . . .

## history

Spiro Agnew . . . THE WORLD . . . big world . . . little world . . . Peace . . . but still war . . . Vietnam . . . moratorium . . . We've gone to the moon . . . "One leap for man" . . . stock market . . . read all of "Time" magazine . . . Which amendment to the Constitution? . . . Communism vs. Democracy . . . We live in a democracy . . . Current History . . . Students, put your desks in a circle . . . Inflation . . . Mr. Santillo has another "Surprise" . . . a lottery system to replace the draft . . . Nixon's speech . . . as the world turns . . . the sky's no longer the limit! . . .



1. Mr. Hortenstine lectures to his second period class. 2. Miss Johnson's gym class works out on the trampoline. 3. Mr. Fletcher smirks as he grades his test papers.

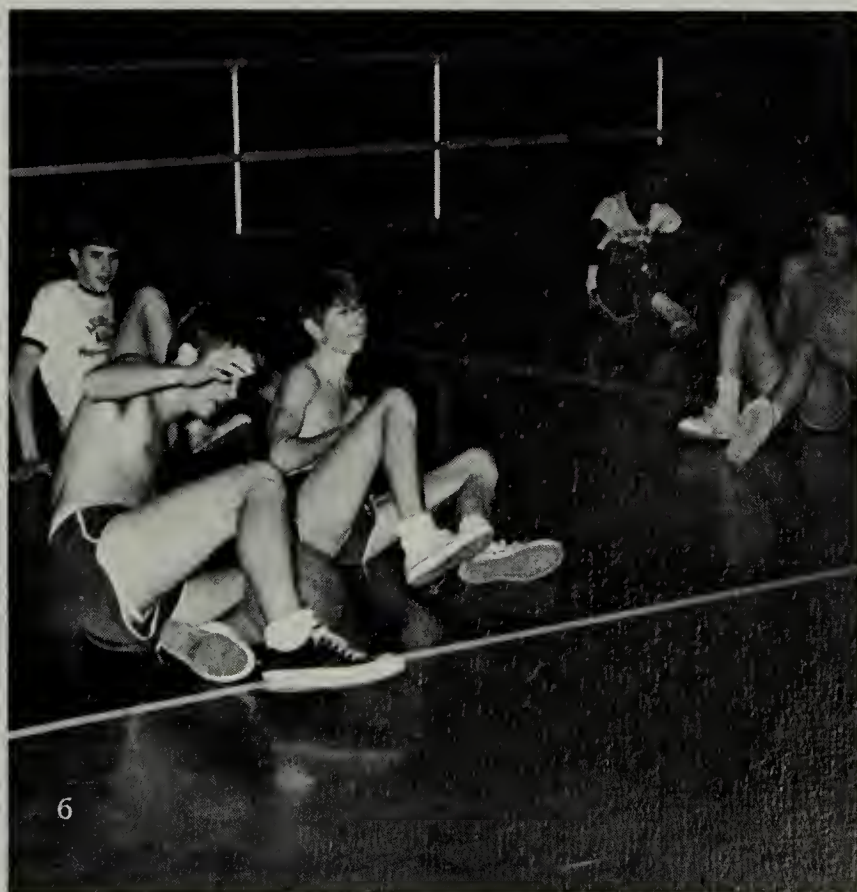




## muscles . . .

### physical education

Physical fitness tests . . . Do we run the 600 yd. dash today? . . . Archery . . . basketball . . . That many rules? . . . foul shots . . . I can't seem to do a lay-up . . . tumbling, headstands, backward roll . . . Volleyball . . . "set it up" . . . "rotate" . . . softball . . . health class . . . First aid . . . tie bandages . . . splint . . . golf . . . What's a birdie? . . . competition . . . strenuous exercise . . . gosh, it's tiring . . . Do we have to take showers? . . . Physical Education . . . that's an experience in itself! . . .



4. Eva Foster and Esther White compare notes on "Time" magazine in current history. 5. Mildred Webber watches after she shoots the basketball. Miss Johnson looks on. 6. The boy's gym class enjoys a game of "crab ball".



1. In Mrs. Yeary's fifth period Chemistry class, Lindy Seamon and John Houser seem to be studying hard. 2. Mr. Fleener's physics class discusses an important point. 3. Betty Fortner and Bev Rhoaten conduct an experiment in their science class. 4. Mrs. Robinson assists Phyllis South and Joyce Baumgardner in business class. 5. Tanna Inscore practices her typing. 6. Vickie Buchanan takes a speed test in typing class.



## on to mars? . . . math and science

Mr. Coleman . . . Trig test tomorrow  
 . . . polygons . . . Modern math . . .  
 General math . . . Algebra is just like  
 Greek . . . a foreign language . . .  
 $2 + 2 = 5$  . . . Tomorrow we plot graphs  
 . . . What's a parallel line? . . . Bisect  
 a 120 degree angle . . . a hexagon has  
 six sides . . . functions . . . protractors

. . . slide rules . . . MATH . . . lab  
 reports . . . facts . . . dissecting worms  
 . . . and ameba . . . family, genus,  
 species. . . balancing . . . equations  
 and scales . . . lab notebooks . . .  
 Molecules are composed of atoms . . . the  
 earth . . . the universe . . . SCIENCE  
 . . .





## typewriters . . .

### business department

Distributive Education and Business courses . . . hard work . . . learning to live in a business world . . . jobs . . . adding calculators in business class . . . "What are they?" . . . multiplying and dividing by pushing a button . . . five minute time writings . . . "How do you write in shorthand?" . . . "She's only three sentences ahead of me" . . . Letters to take down . . . typing . . . three letters a day? . . . "I get to write a will" . . . "My OWN?" . . . legal papers . . . IBM secretarial machine . . . Income Tax forms . . . Duplicating machines . . . so much to learn . . . all for making money . . .



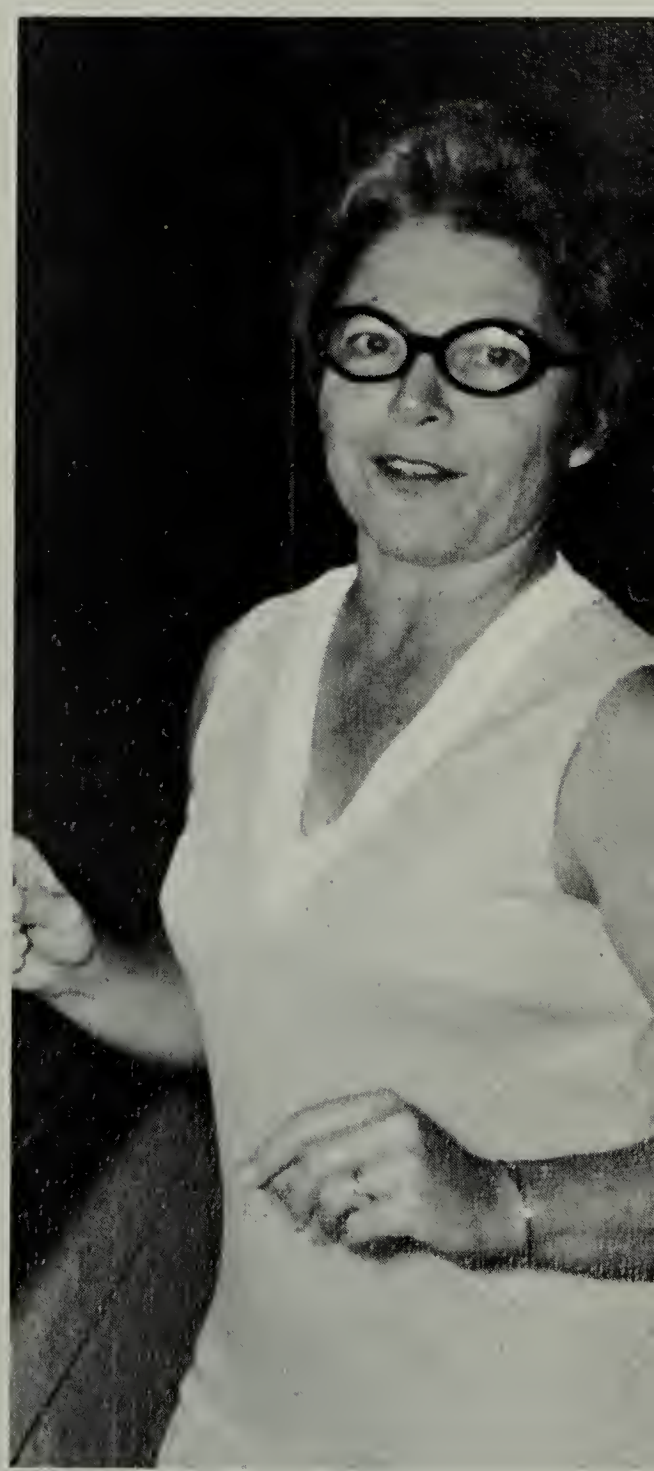
a time for meeting . . .





## individuals

People . . . teachers . . . students . . .  
principal . . . dean of students . . . secre-  
taries . . . cooks . . . bus drivers . . .  
What are they like? . . . small people . . .  
large . . . fat . . . slim . . . young . . .  
old . . . happy . . . sad . . . quiet . . .  
LOUD! . . . slow . . . fast . . . studious  
. . . industrious . . . lazy . . . funny . . .  
helpful . . . every type . . . all make  
A.H.S. . . . a time for meeting -- a time  
for living . . .



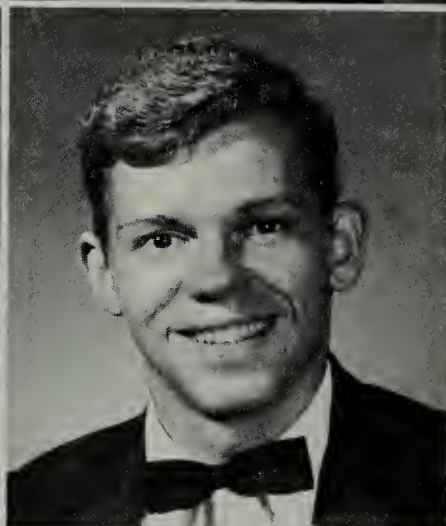
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# the last year . . .

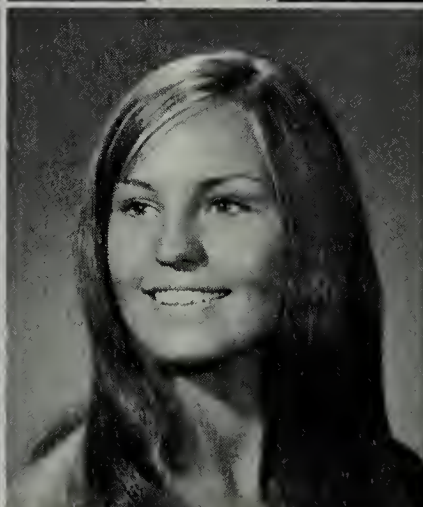
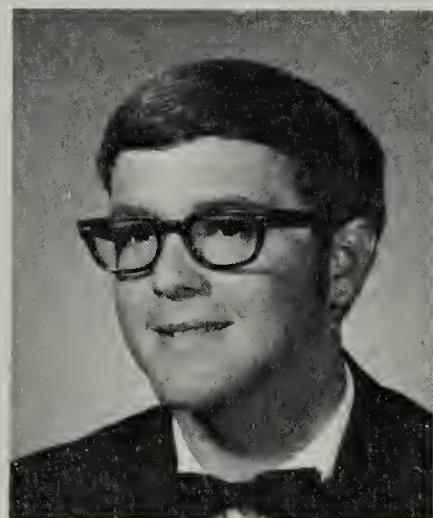
## seniors

The last year of high school . . . First assembly . . . "Do we march in?" . . . yes, the first time having the student body to rise for the class of 1970 . . . Senior rings . . . "When will they come?" September 5 . . . RINGS ARE HERE!! . . . Senior Ring Assembly . . . meet in the cafeteria . . . dress up . . . march in again . . . "Don't trip!" . . . final instructions . . . flowers for the Class President . . .



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James Rowe Anderson, Jr.



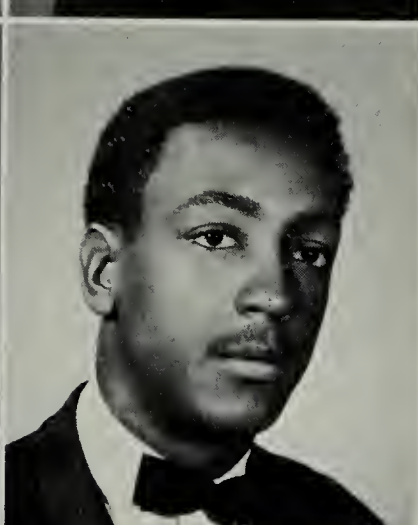
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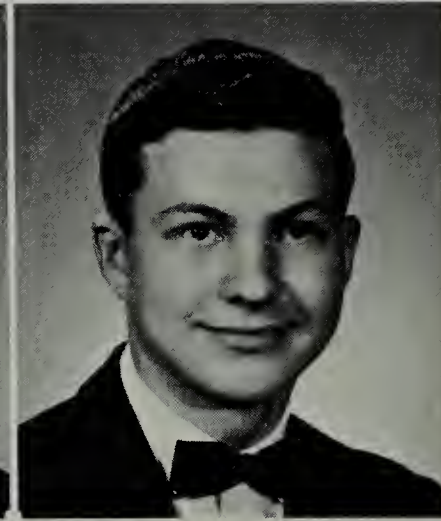
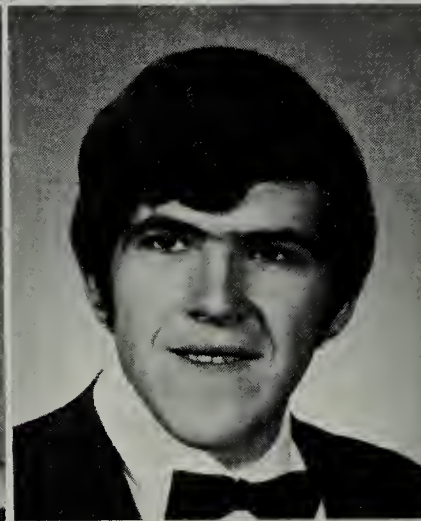
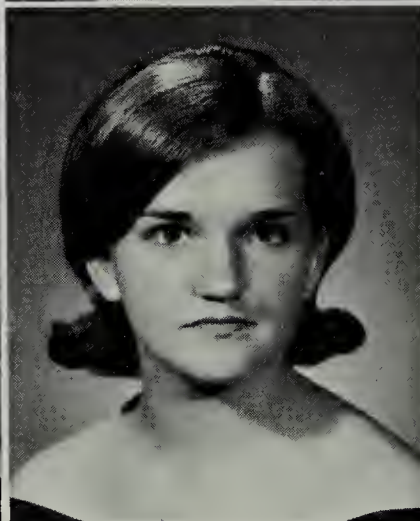
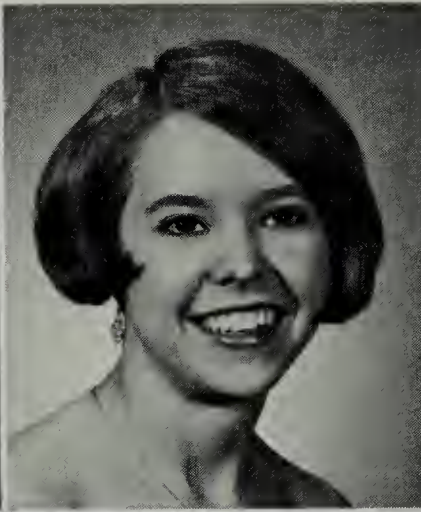
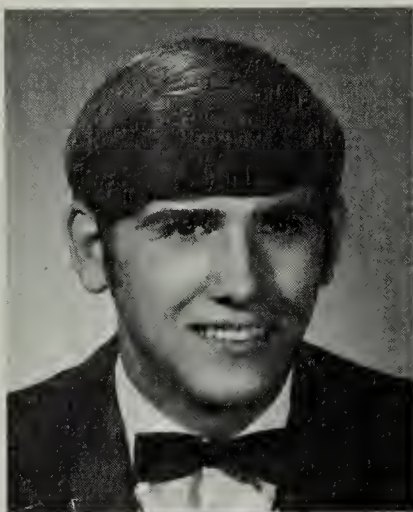
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Mabel Lynne Carty  
Jack Cotton Clark



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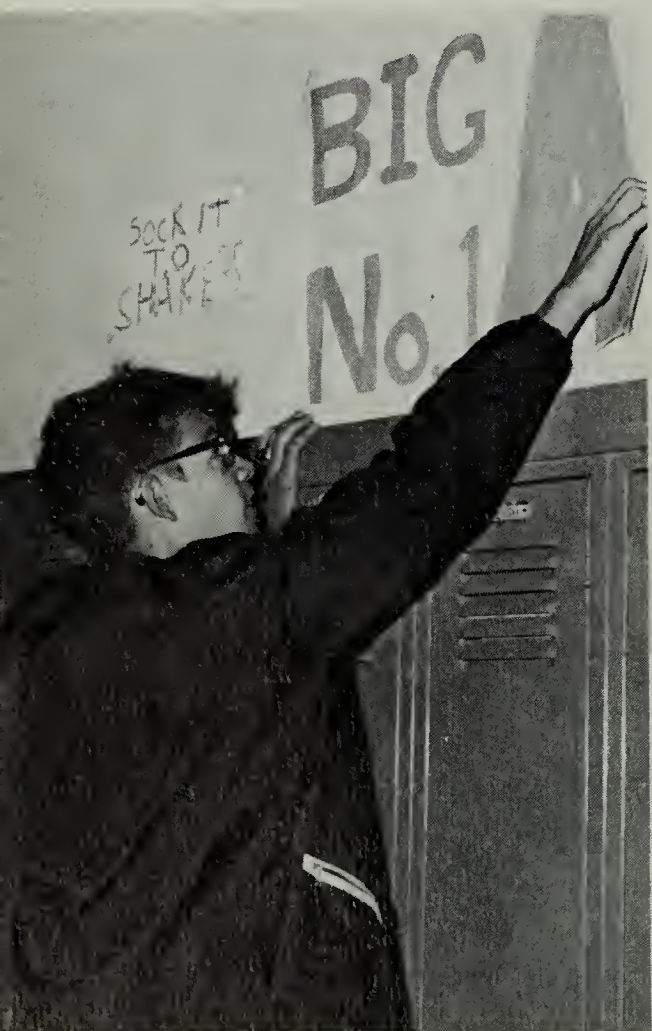


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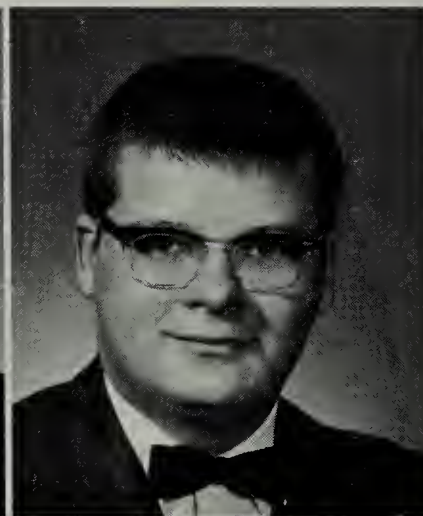
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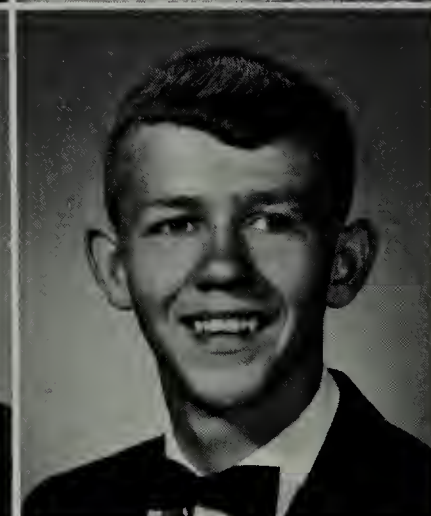
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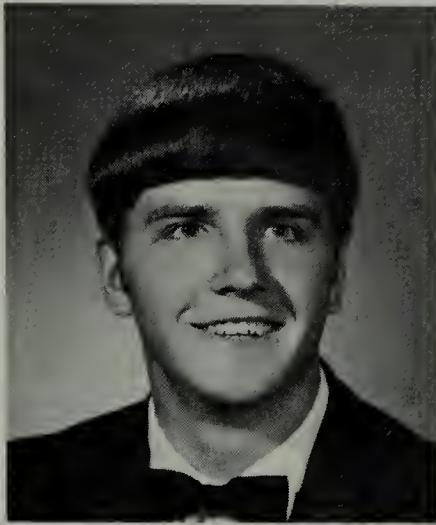


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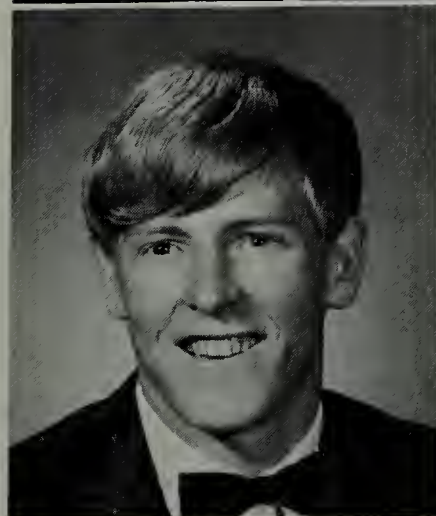


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## **"does it fit?" . . .** **seniors**

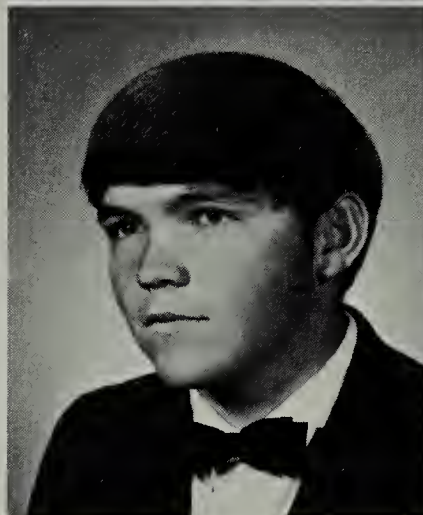
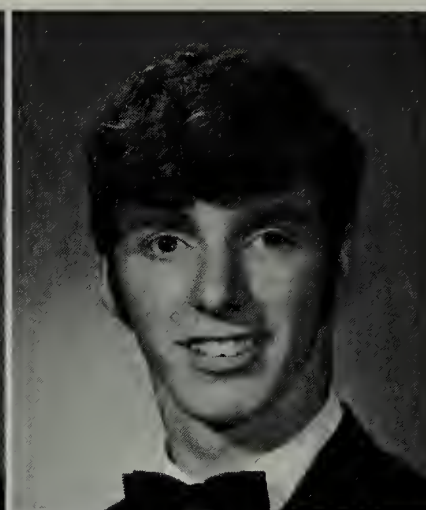
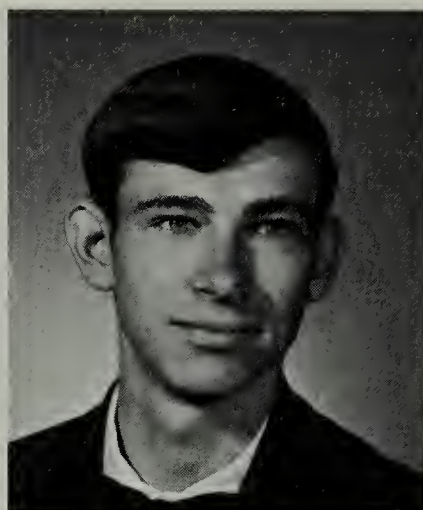
giving out the rings . . . each senior waiting his turn . . . "Almost time for me!" . . . "I have it" . . . "Don't open it yet" . . . O.K. -- Open the package . . . excitement . . . "Does it fit?" . . . Now WE'RE official seniors! . . . First football game as seniors . . . rain . . . trying to boost school spirit . . . Seniors sponsor first dance of the year . . . sock hop in the gym . . . Senior pictures made at Patterson's and don't forget . . . tuxedo jackets for boys . . . Set an example . . .



# “don’t chew gum”...

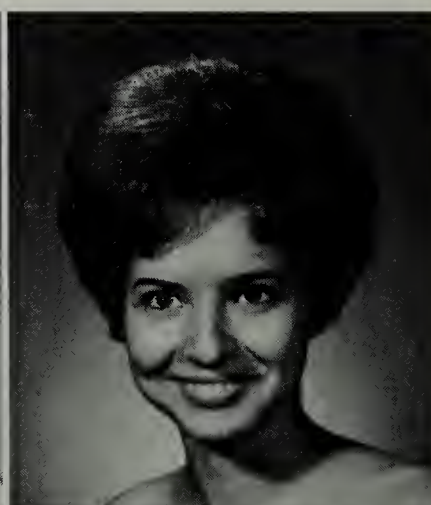
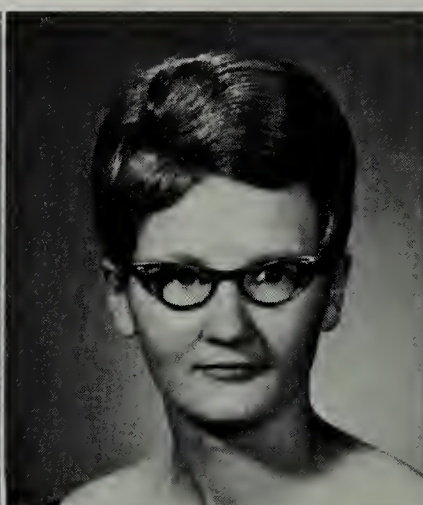
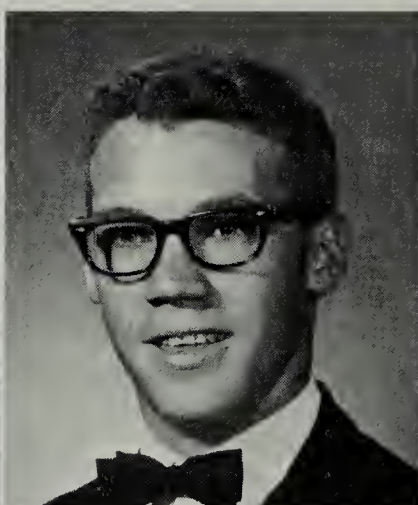
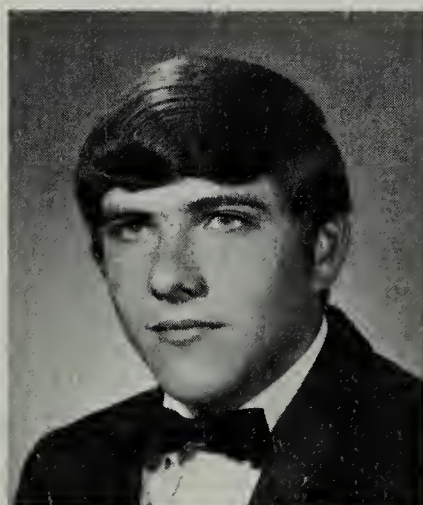
## seniors

"Seniors don't chew gum" . . . Set an example . . . "Don't talk during assemblies" . . . responsibilities . . . Exemption from exams with an "A" average . . . What college are you going to? . . . University of Virginia? . . . Virginia Tech? . . . Emory and Henry? . . . Virginia Highlands Community College? . . . College Boards . . . ACT Tests . . . scores -- good and bad . . . Achievement Tests . . . The last home football game as seniors . . . senior band members and majorettes introduced . . . The time is flying . . .



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Wanda Marie Hill



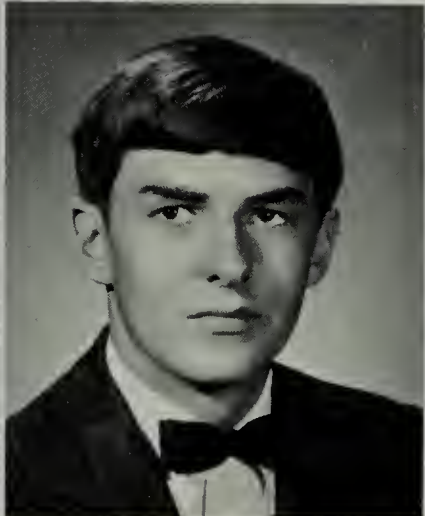
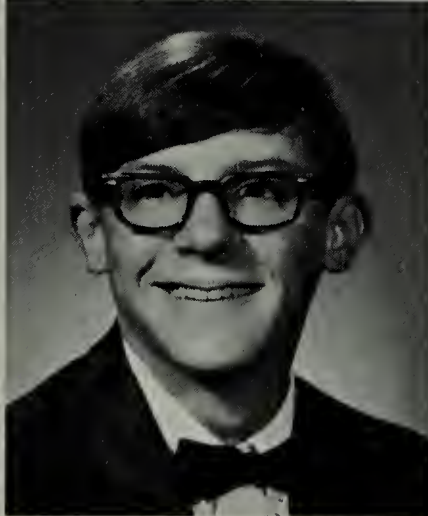
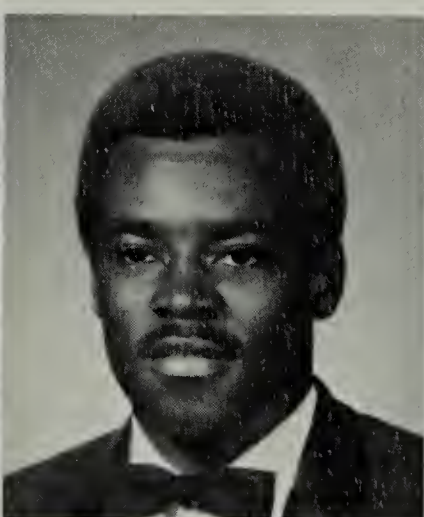
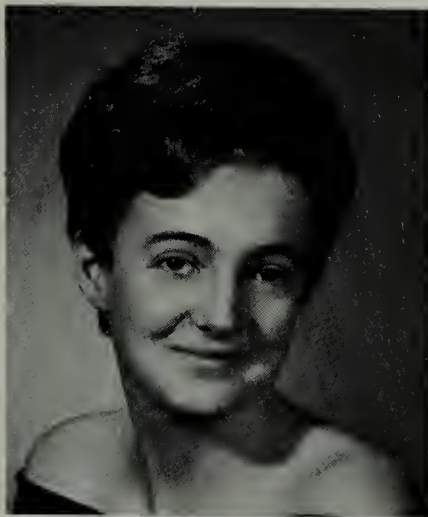
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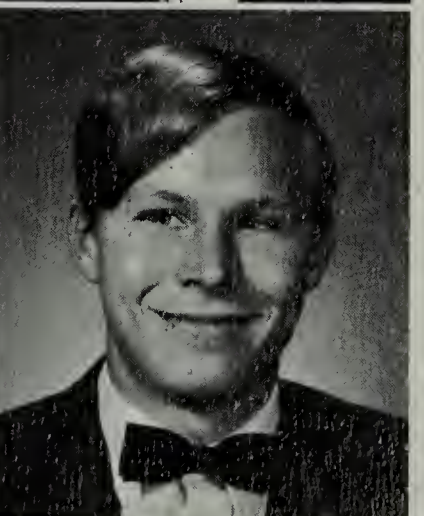
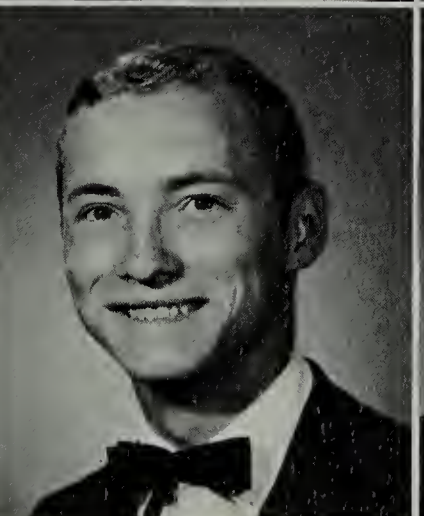
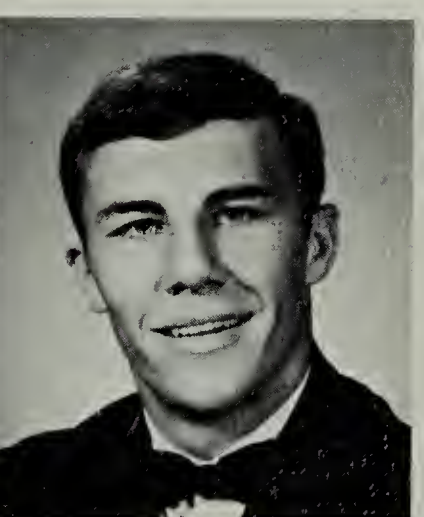
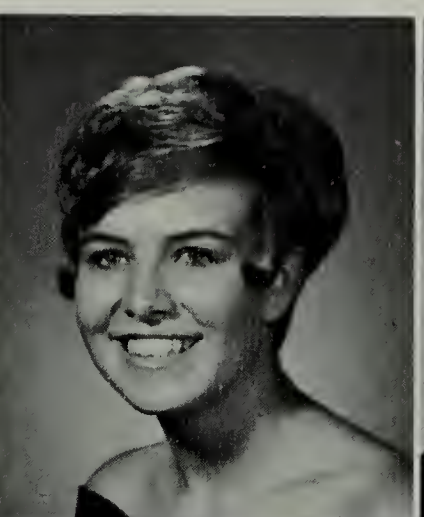


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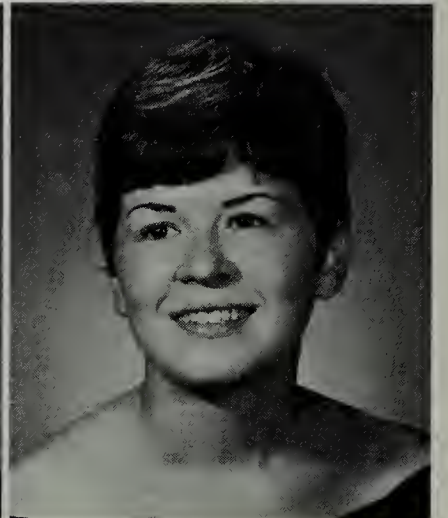
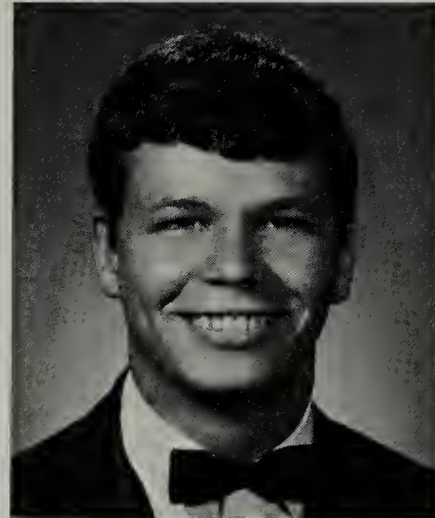
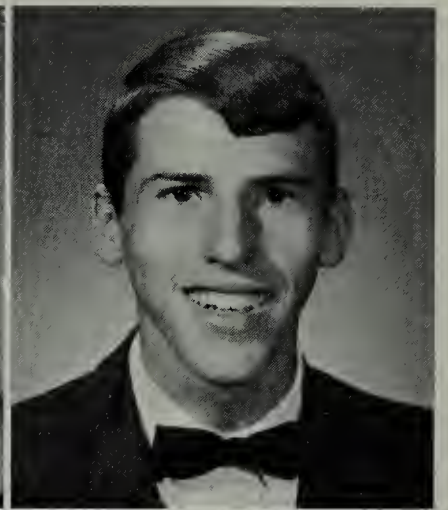
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Charles Junior McCracken



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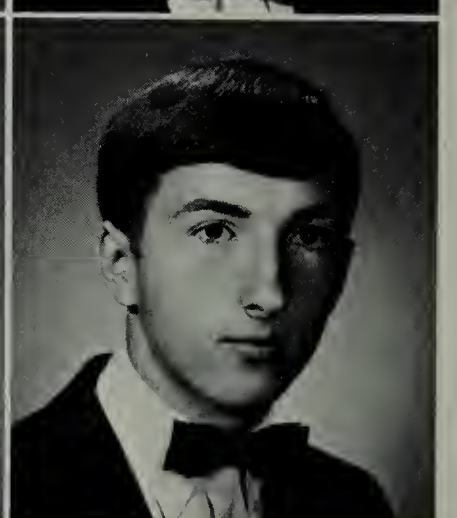
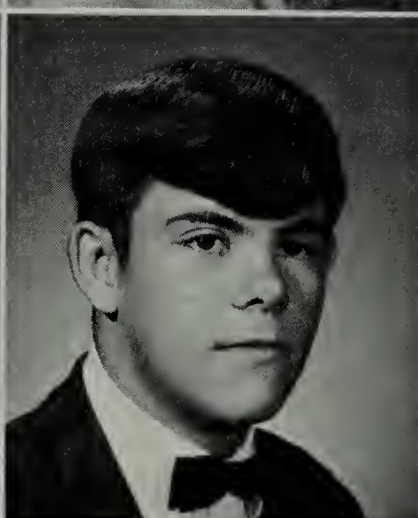
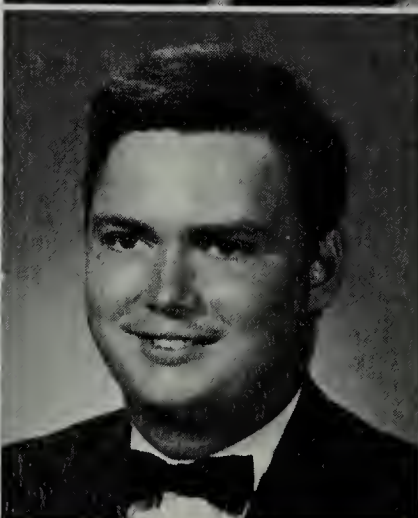
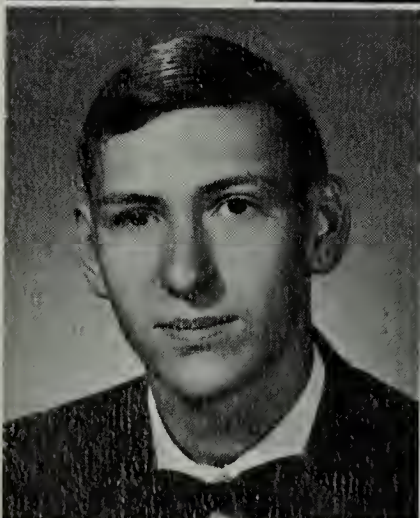
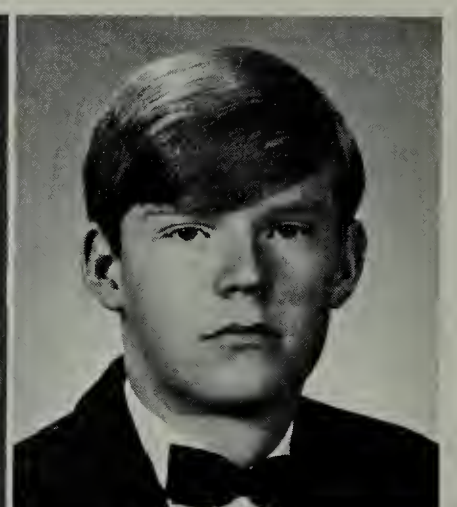
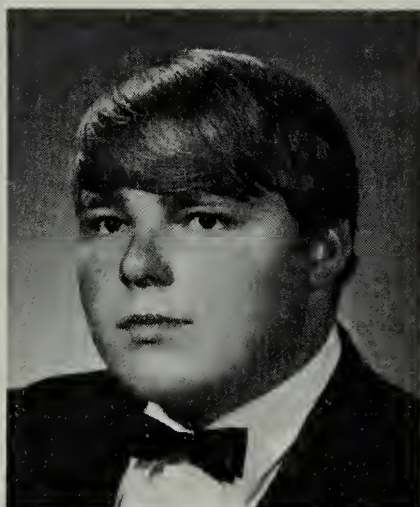
## seniors

Senior Play . . . "Cheaper by the Dozen" . . . try-outs . . . "We need more boys" . . . play books . . . practice after school . . . painting flats . . . long rehearsals . . . first performance for parents . . . SUCCESS . . . second performance for the student body . . . A lot of fun! . . . Basketball season opened . . . Senior players lead the team . . . "Senior Night" -- all senior players, cheerleaders managers, scorekeepers, and photographer introduced . . . Classes continue . . . tests . . . grades . . .



Shirley Mae McCracken  
Rickey Lee Mink

William Edward McIntyre  
Frances Ann Mitchell



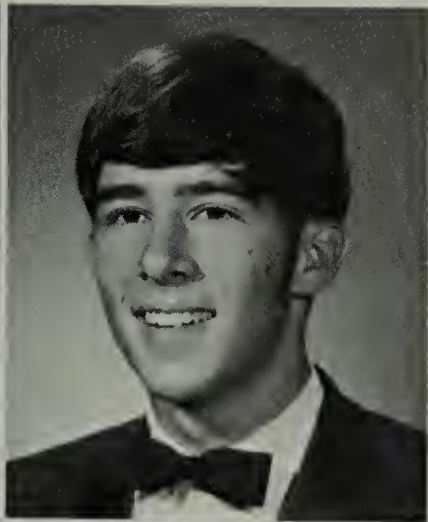
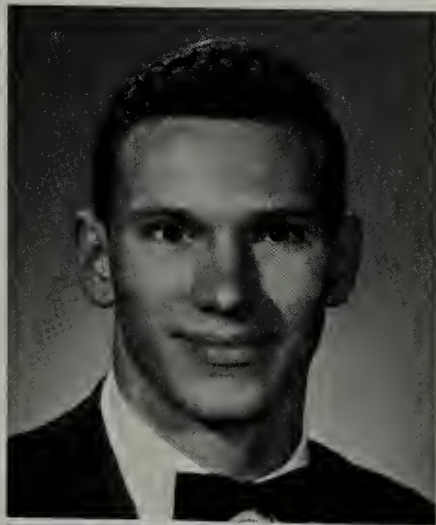
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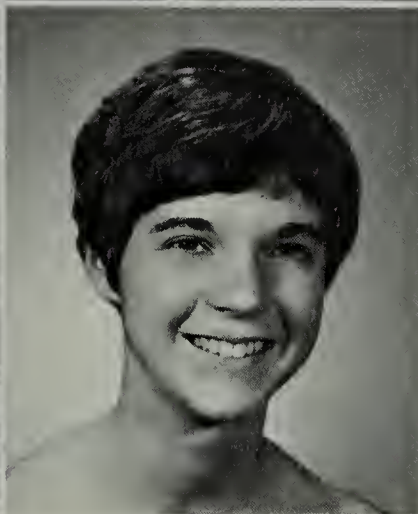
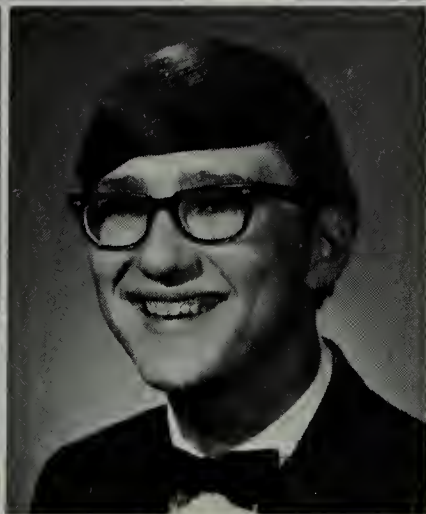




Larry Odis Nunley  
Phyllis Karen Ornduff

Larry Wayne Ornduff  
Michael Shay Owens

Ellen Pinkerton and Barbara Parris, backstage, as they produce sound effects during the Senior play.



Phyllis Ann Owens  
James MacGregor Patterson

Dyke Carl Parker  
Christopher Lloyd Patton

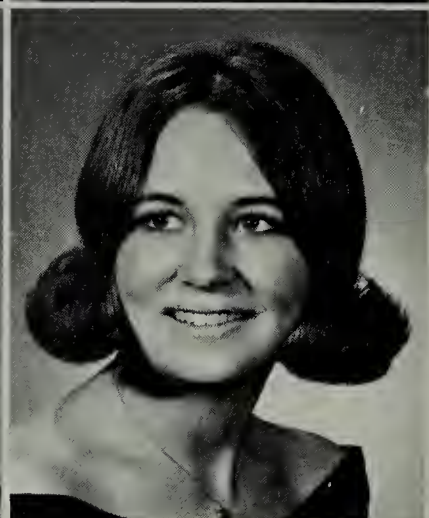
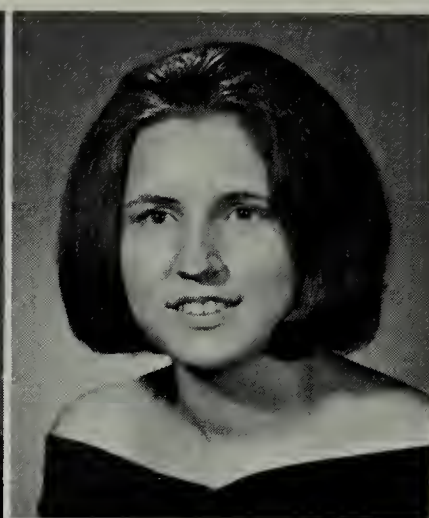
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Betty Jane Pippin



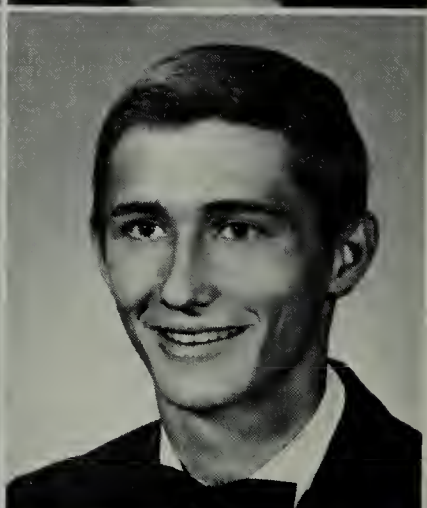
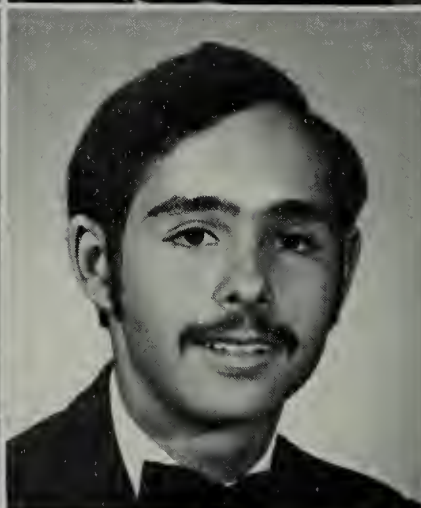
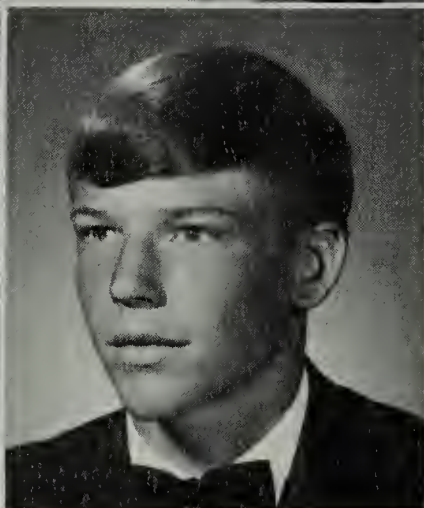
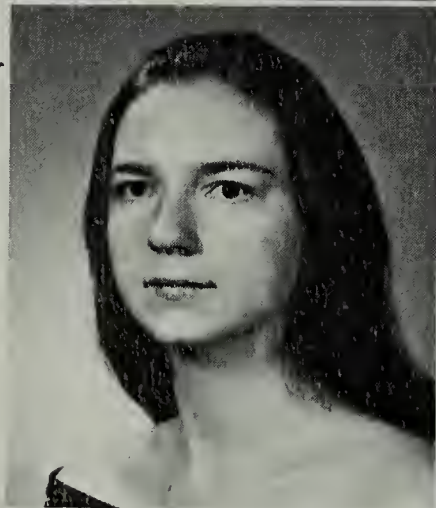
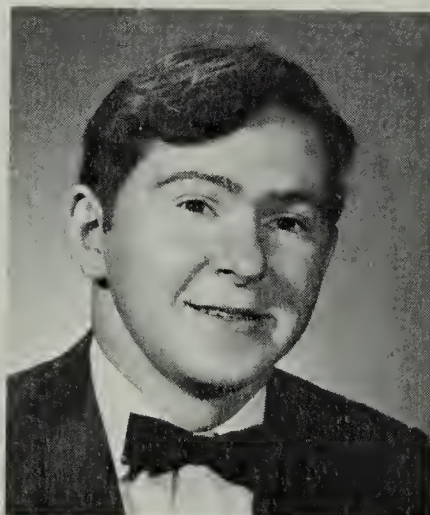


Mr. Buddy Moses measures Belle Dancy for her cap and gown.



Mary Patricia Pippin  
Rose Hayter Price

Glenna Sue Price  
Linda Susan Ratliff



Otis Warren Rhoten  
Mary Grace Selfe

Carol Jeanne Roberts  
Joseph Crockett Shaffer

William Lowry Rouse  
Kenneth Scott Shuman

Shirley Sweet Rowe  
Johnny Mack Singleton



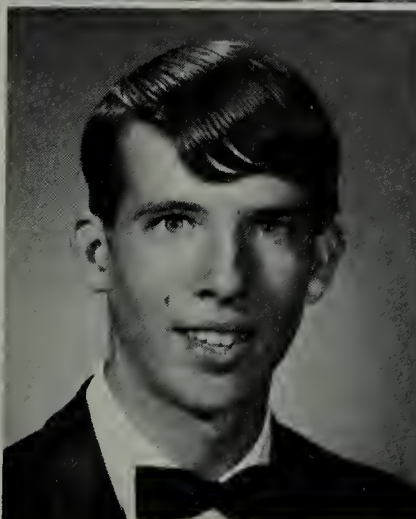


Mary Katherine Singleton  
Brenda Lura Stigers

Elizabeth Ruth Smith  
Terrell Jane Stout

Patsy Diane Snead  
Kermit Milton Swan

Phyllis Kay South  
Charles Michael Terry



Hazel Pauline Thomas  
Jimmy Dean Thompson

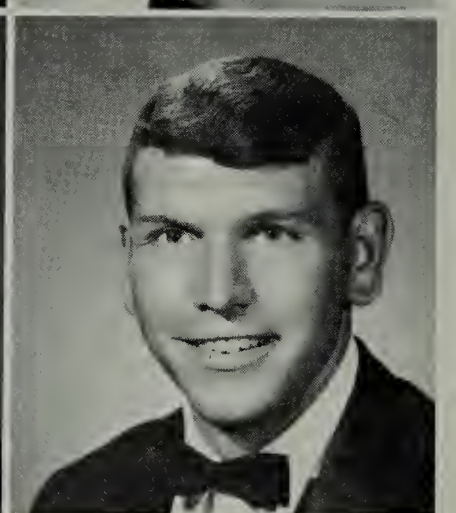
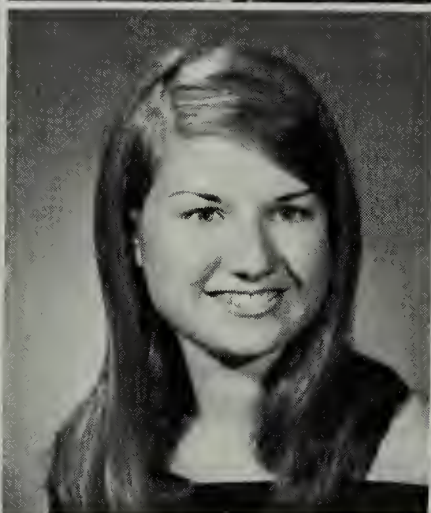
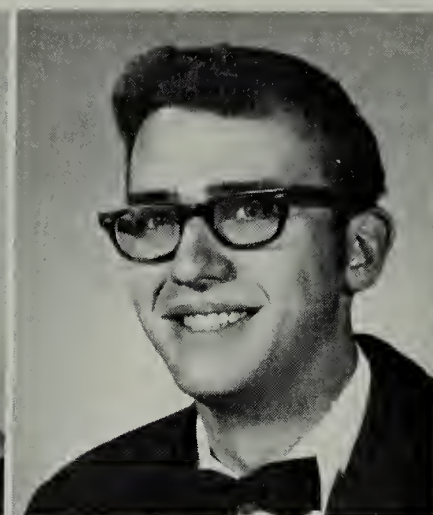
Gerald Ray Thompson  
Shelia Paulette Thompson

## term papers . . .

### seniors

Senior study hall . . . in the cafeteria  
 . . . no teacher . . . Government . . .  
 learning to vote using a voting machine  
 . . . Mr. Hortenstine . . . English  
 . . . essays, "Macbeth" . . . Term  
 papers . . . "What's your topic?" . . .  
 index cards . . . filing boxes -- green,  
 red, blue, flowered, and dented! . . .  
 paper clips . . . page after page . . .  
 Humanities class . . . seniors only  
 . . . discussions on varied topics . . .  
 Nery -- Our foreign exchange student  
 joins the class . . . The class that will  
 graduate . . . the class called The Se-  
 nior Class of 1970! . . .





Sandra Elaine Tignor  
Johnny Wayne Weddle

Marsha Carol Via  
Esther Elizabeth White

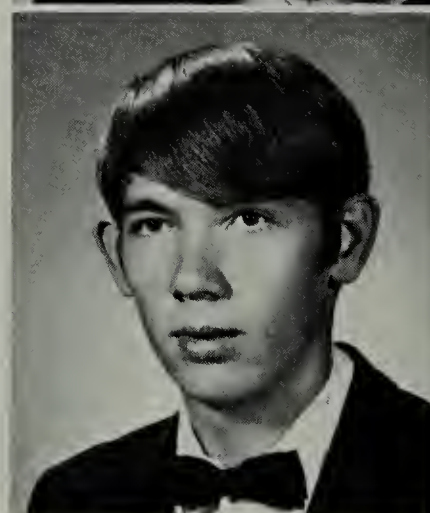
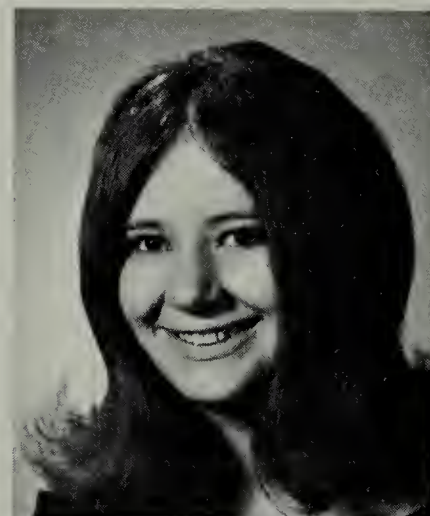
Jerry Lane Warren  
James Grayson Wilson

Mary Madeline Webber  
Ralph Edward Wilson, Jr.

## not pictured

### SENIORS

Michael Allen Burnette  
Joan Johnson Caudell  
Wade Calvin Eastridge  
William Louis Jaques  
Roger Alan Keith  
Roger Allen Kennedy  
Alvin Don Neal  
Johnny Wayne Roark  
Dale Clifton Smeltzer  
Stephen McLin Sprinkle



Wanda Kay Winebarger  
Richard Wayne Wright

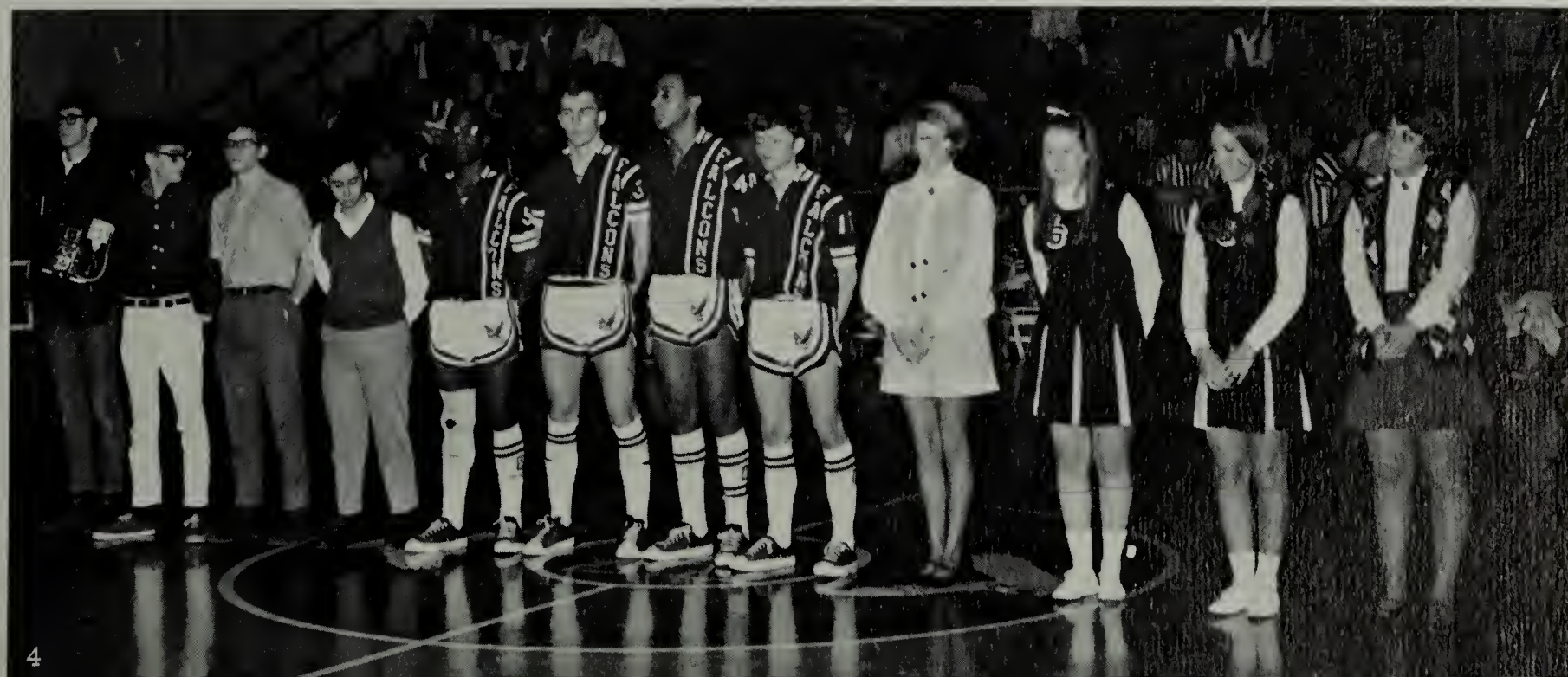
John Andrew Wright  
Richard Daniel Yager





## senior activities

1. Steve Kroll watches Mary Webber apply make-up to Al Clark backstage during the Senior Play. 2. Libby Cox, Mrs. J. Moore, Roger Morrell, Marsha Via, Ellen Pinkerton, Ken Shuman, and Linda Ratliff spent the summer studying and touring in Europe. 3. Seniors pay money for their caps and gowns to the senior class officers. 4. Seniors line up to be recognized during Senior night at our last home basketball game. They are; Mac Patterson, Randy Kelly, John Legard, Ken Shuman, Kermit Swan, Dan Mathews, Jack Clark, Drew Wright, Shelia Thompson, Esther White, Debbie Brown, and Beverly Elliott.







## nery luis . . .

### foreign exchange student

Nery Luis . . . from South America -- Caracus, Venezuela . . . daughter of Antonio and Maria-De-Luis . . . has six brothers and sisters . . . Nery is youngest at seventeen . . . attended school in Pennsylvania before coming to A.H.S. . . . likes to dance, listen to records, and walk at night and look at the moon . . . also likes to bowl . . . staying with the Bill Potts family . . . likes the music of the Temptations and the Fifth Dimensions . . . plans to be a secretary . . . a quick smile . . . dark brown eyes . . . a quick wit . . . a good addition to Abingdon High School and the Class of 1970 . . .



1. Nery practices typing. 2. Nery and her American sister, Meade Potts.

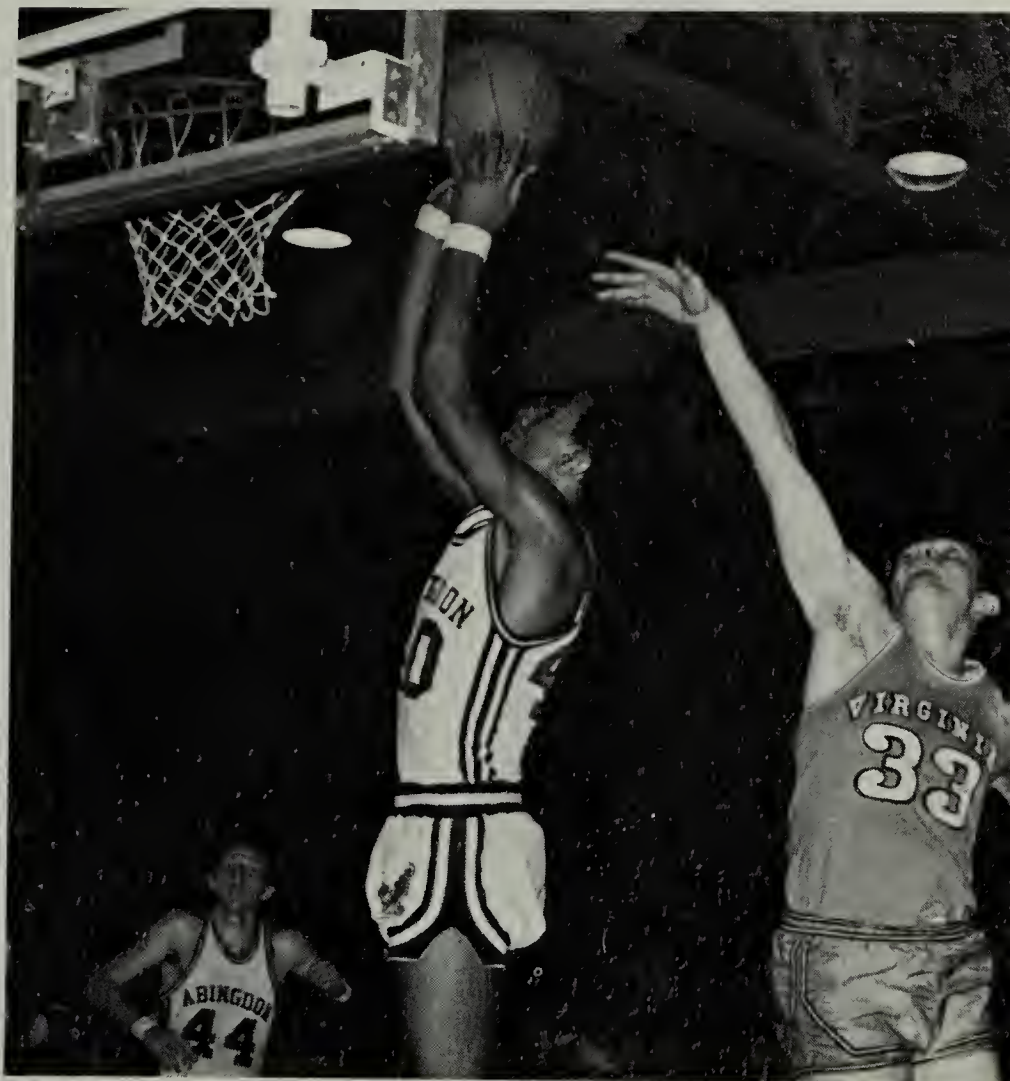




## jack clark . . .

mr. abingdon high

Jack Cotton Clark . . . a "good guy" . . . co-captain of football team . . . "Rebound King" -- received rebound bracelet more than any other basketball player . . . "A" Club member . . . Washington County Basketball team member . . . letterman in six sports . . .



## eva foster . . .

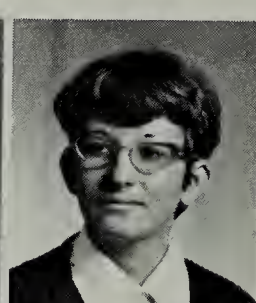
miss abingdon high

Eva Foster . . . Civinette . . . Senior Tri-Hi-Y member . . . National Honor Society member . . . Key Club Sweet-heart . . . S.C.A. President . . . Junior Varsity Cheerleaders Captain . . . President of Freshman Class . . . S.C.A. Secretary . . . Varsity Cheerleader . . . Vice-President of Flame Tri-Hi-Y . . . a hard worker . . .

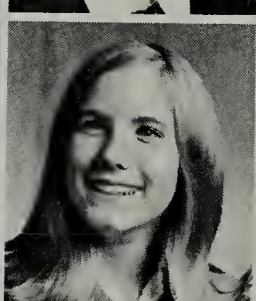
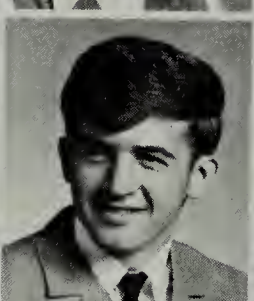
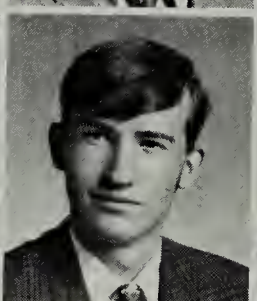
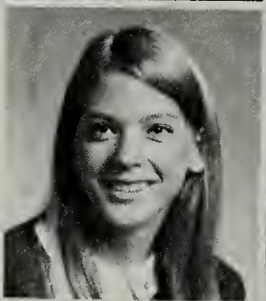




Junior class officers are B. Cumbow, Treas.; S. Pinkerton, Sec.; T. Holtsinger, Sgt.-at-arms; B. Buchanan, Pres.; D. Call, V. Pres.; S. McCray, reporter.



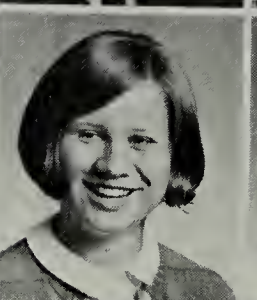
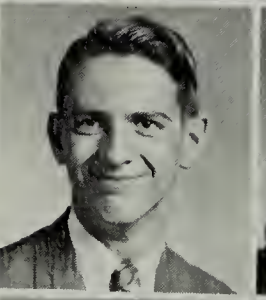
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Nan Arrington  
Vivian Atkins



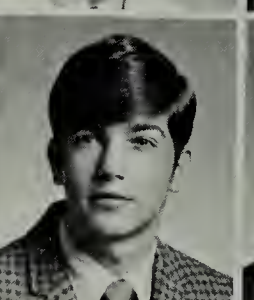
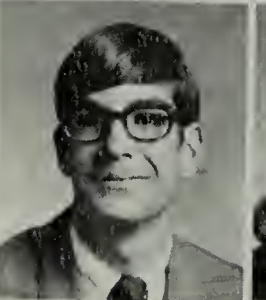
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Wayne Bailey  
Eddie Barrett  
Kathy Bartlett



Lee Bateman  
Kathy Baumgardner  
Roy Baumgardner  
Leonard Bellamy  
John Beverly



Billy Bevens  
Brenda Blackwell  
Judy Blevins  
Jim Booth  
Mickey Bradley



Aubrey Brown  
Barbara Buchanan  
Vicki Buchanan  
Doug Call  
Wayne Campbell



# upperclassmen at last . . .

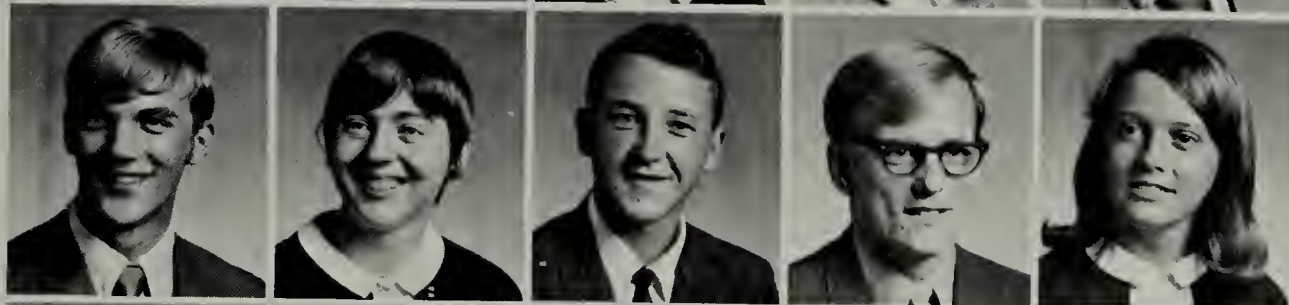
## juniors —

"no gym!" . . . no mid-day showers . . .  
 "what do you mean a bulletin board?" . . .  
 "a new junior moving here?" . . . "it's a  
 HE!" . . . sell 10 magazine subscriptions,  
 get an ANIMAL? . . . "Who has a bake sale  
 tomorrow?" . . . Susan West, or is it Mae  
 Pinkerton? . . . ah-huh! . . . spirit week

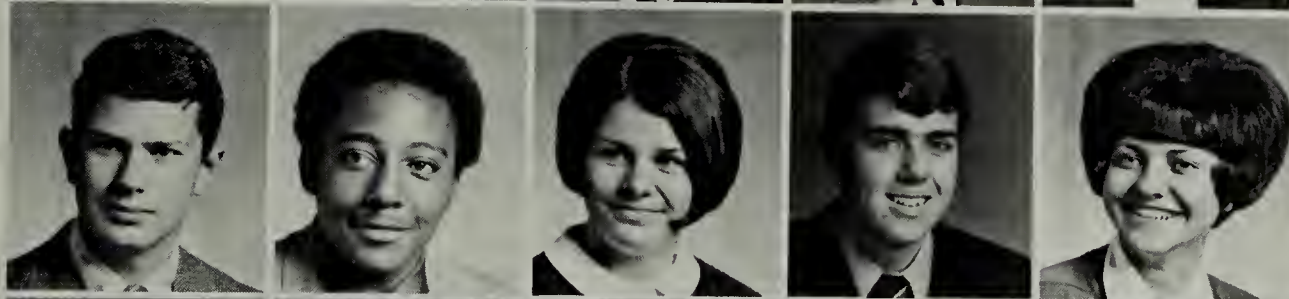
. . . decorating the coaches' office . . .  
 "we better get outa here -- it could be em-  
 barrassing" . . . "we won!" . . . Minnie  
 Pearl at the NHS Talent Show . . . "We  
 need ONLY \$1000 for the Jr. Sr. Prom?"  
 . . . a car wash Saturday? -- what if it  
 rains! . . . order Senior rings in March! . .



Frank Carmack  
 Debbie Casey  
 Ann Stewart Catron  
 Doris Compton  
 Randy Copeland



Mike Counts  
 Jane Craig  
 Jerry Cullop  
 Bob Cumbow  
 Darlene Cunningham



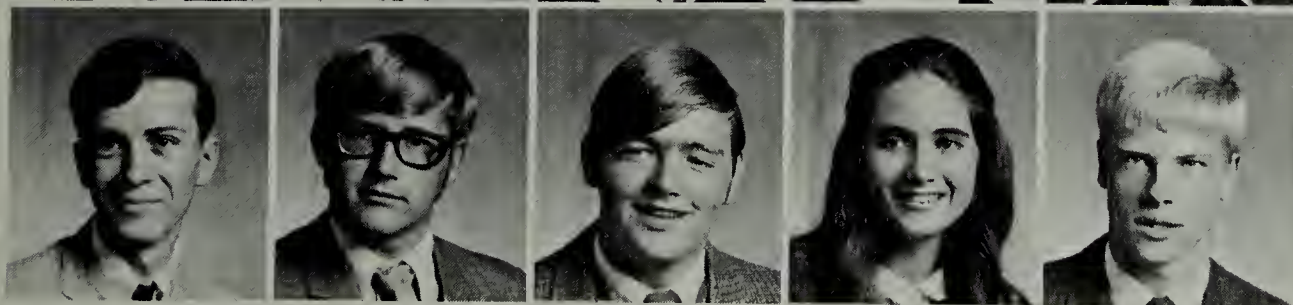
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 David Durnovich  
 Rita Edwards



Lynn Ellis  
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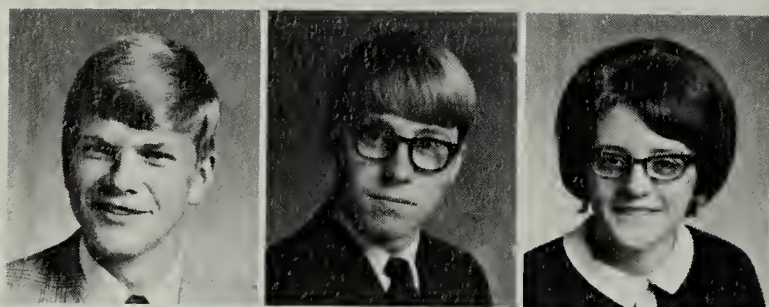


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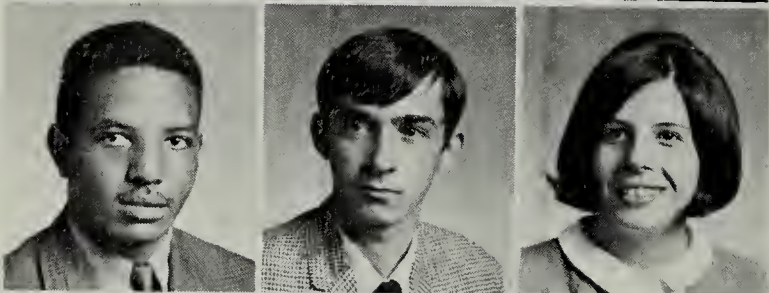


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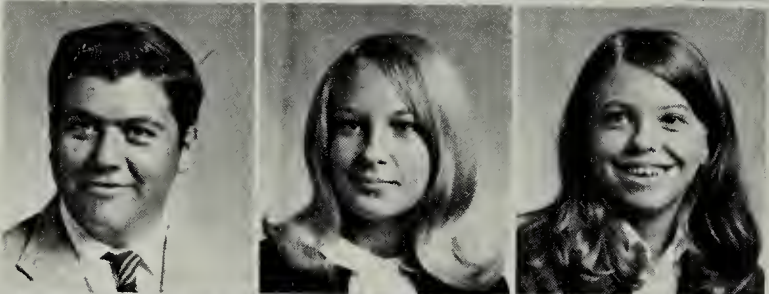




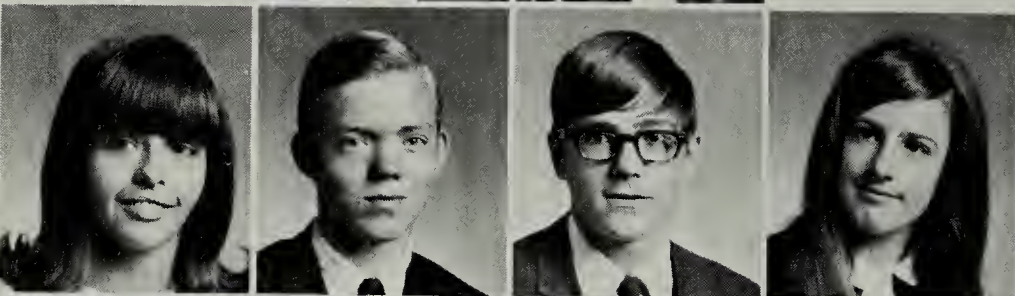
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Frank Jefferson  
Ivan Johnson  
Debbie Johnston



Anthony Keith  
Brenda Kingsley  
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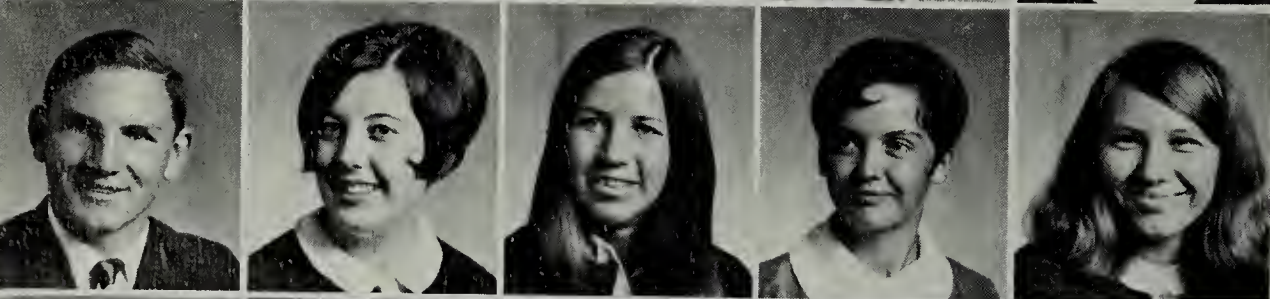
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Carolyn Lough  
Mike Lough  
Suzanne McCommell  
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Debbie Musick



Lloyd Nash  
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Brenda Neese  
Virginia Nelson  
Kathy Nunley

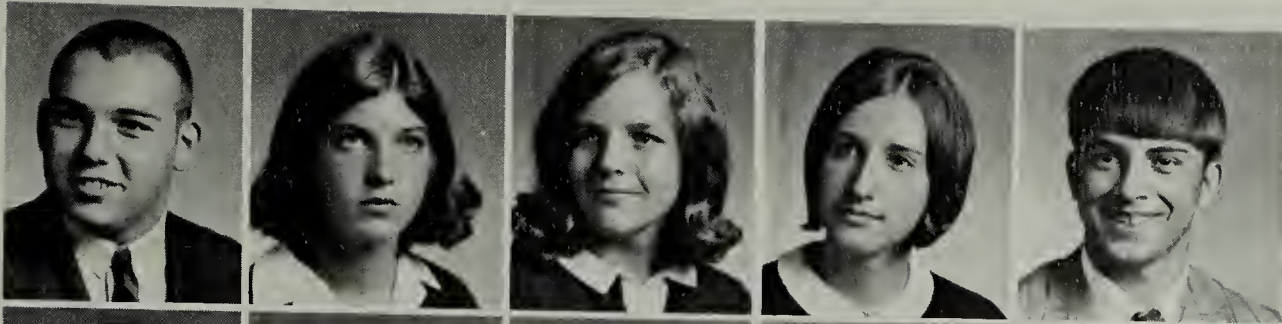


Jim Odum  
Teresa Osborne  
Sandy Owens  
Linda Parris  
Mark Pearson



"A ballerina, me!" says Susan Pinkerton at a pep rally.





Jack Phelps  
Susan Pinkerton  
Meade Potts  
Kathy Prater  
Dean Price



Sammy Price  
Carla Reece  
Beckie Reed  
Becky Reynolds  
Diana Reynolds



Billy Richards  
Ricky Richardson  
Susan Roseberry  
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Lindy Seamon



Margaret Singleton  
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Brenda Smith  
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Preston Stevens



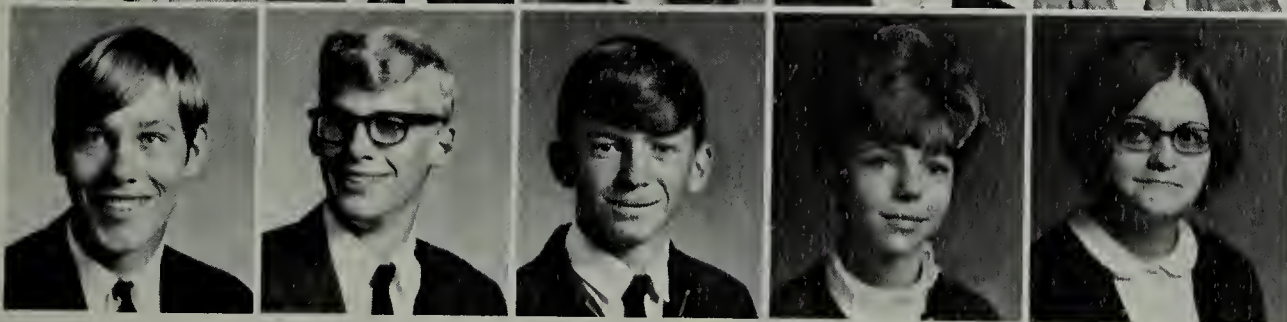
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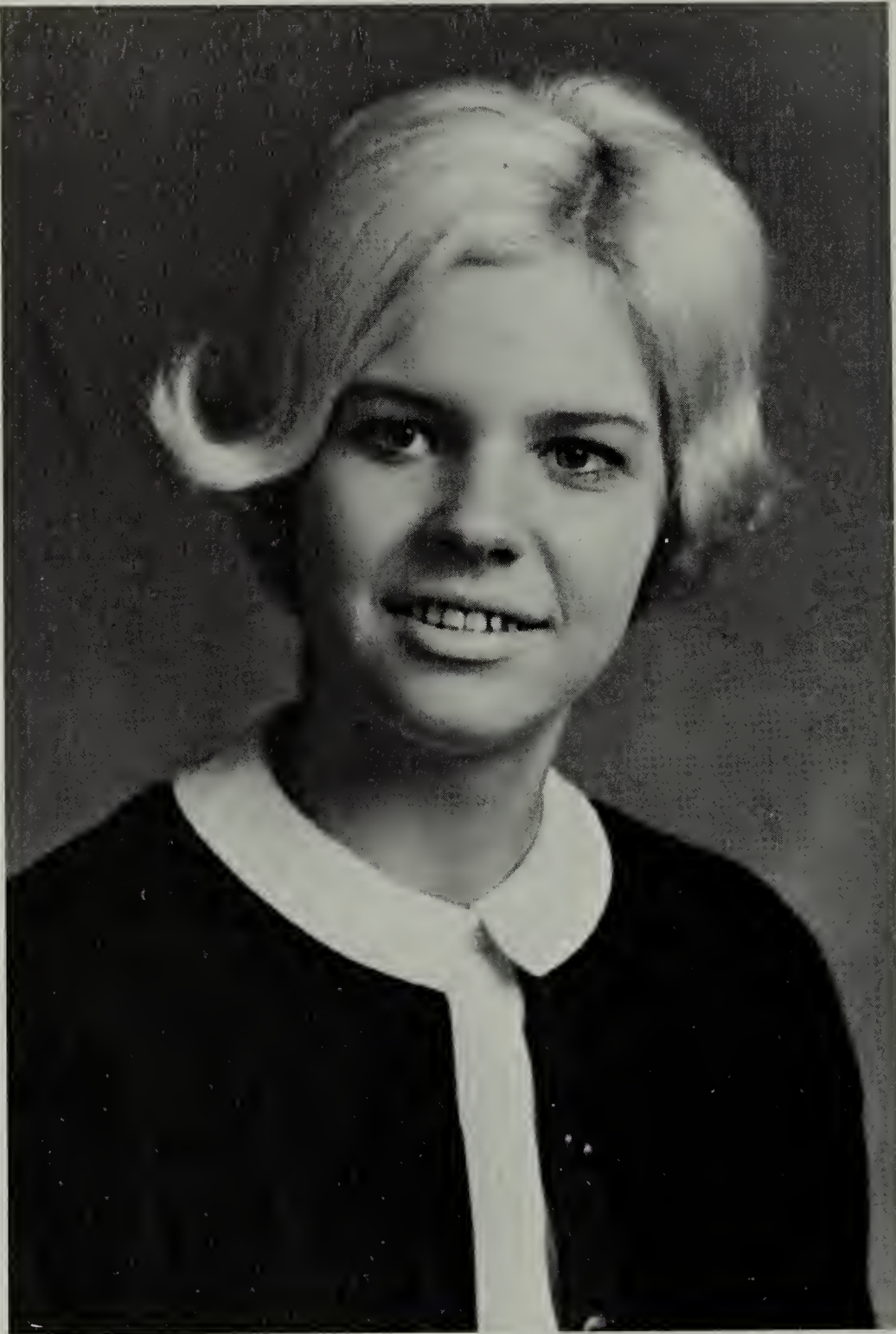


Darrell Weddle  
Harold Weddle  
Mary Weisfeld  
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Johnny Williams



Johnny Wolfe  
Jimmy Wright  
Irvin Wyatt  
Drema Wygal  
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## **elizabeth hope riddle**

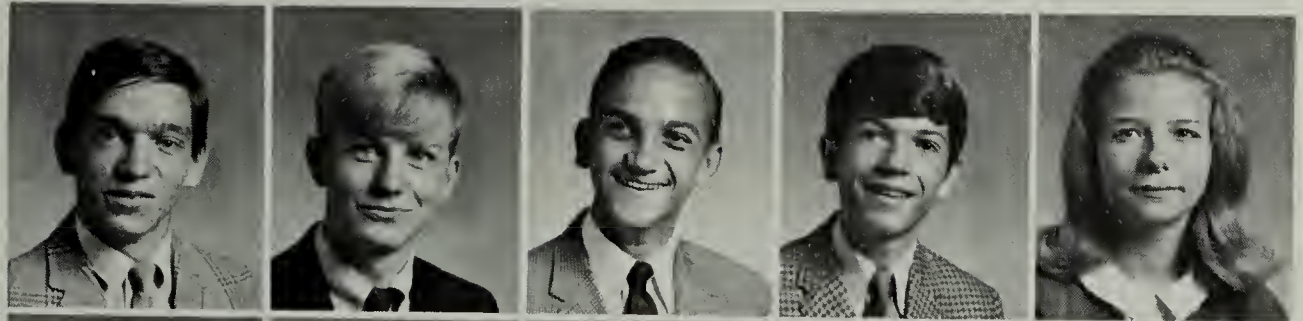
On February 10, 1970, Hope Riddle, a junior at Abingdon High School, died after a brief illness.

On January 29, 1970, Hope finished an assignment in English on the topic "If I had my life to live over, I would . . . ." In this paper she wrote, "If I had my life to live over, I would not change it in anyway . . . No one's life can be perfect. I'll take my life just like it is because I've had fun getting it like it is."



## sophomores

David Adams  
Mike Addison  
Bobby Anderson  
Mike Arnold  
Patty Arnold



Beatrice Atkins  
Peggy Atkins  
Joyce Balthazar  
Gary Barrett  
Christine Blevins



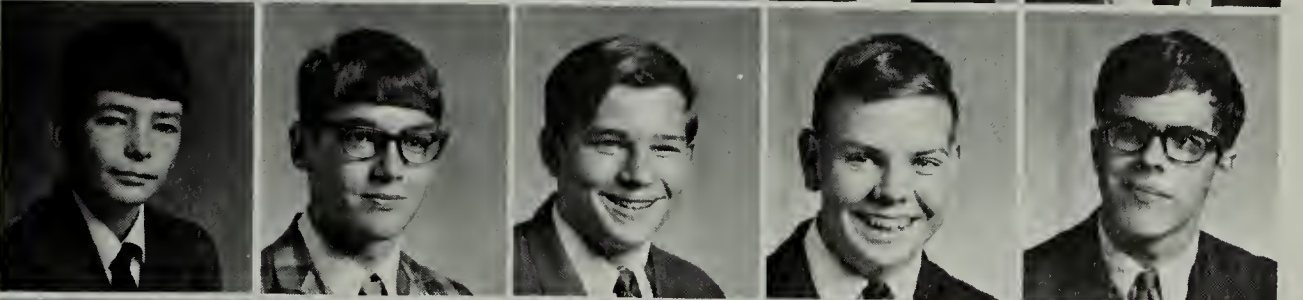
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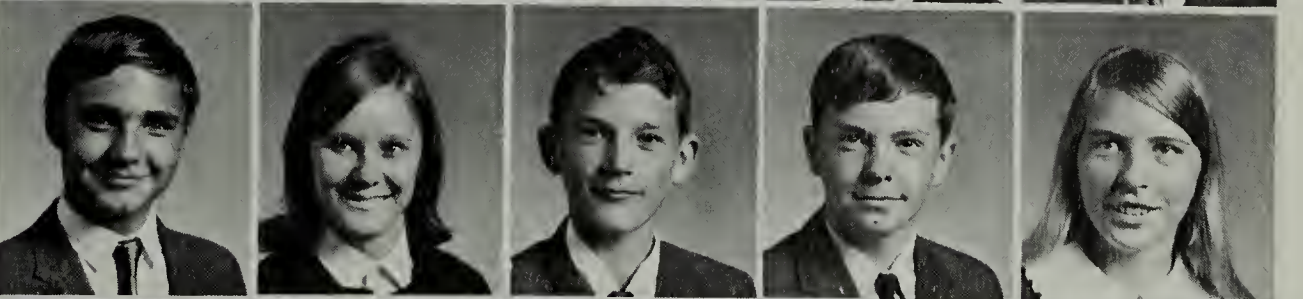
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Bill Carmack



Danny Carr  
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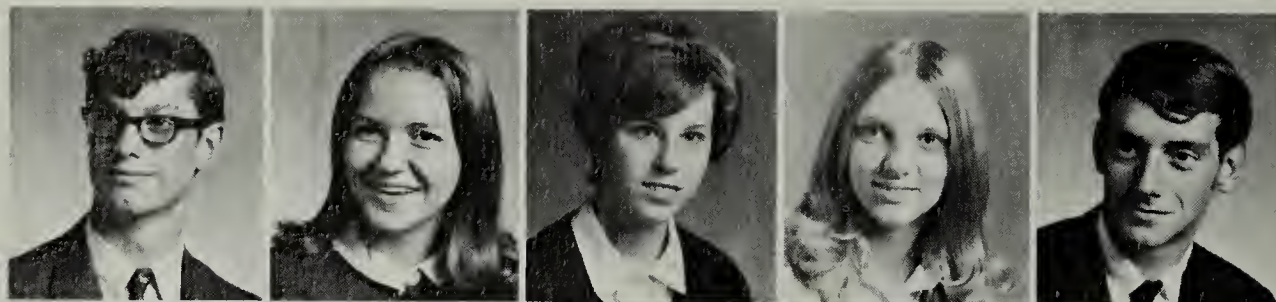
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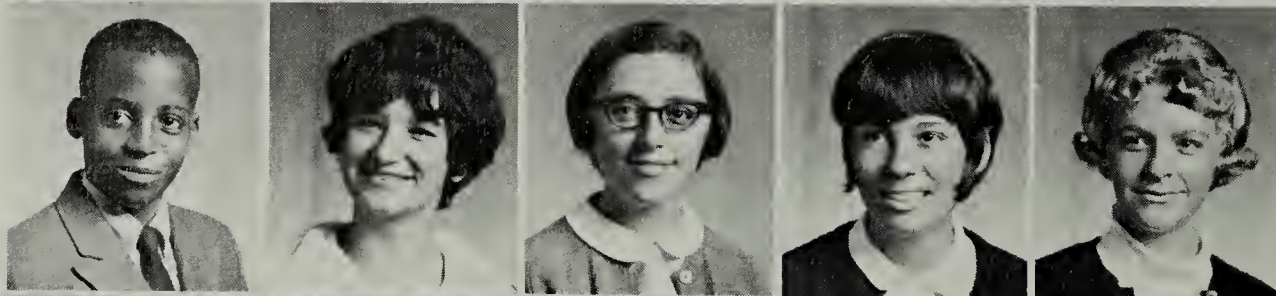
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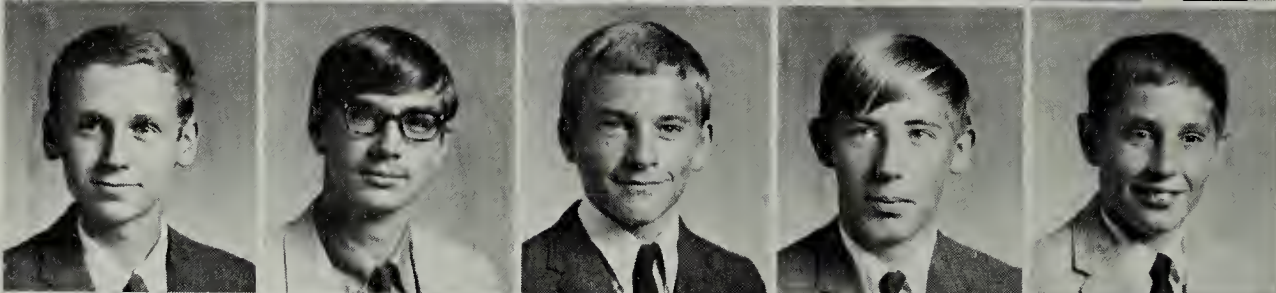
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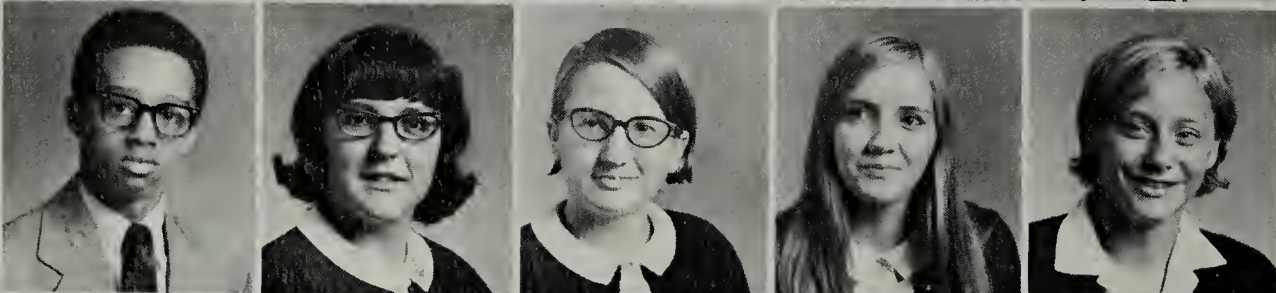
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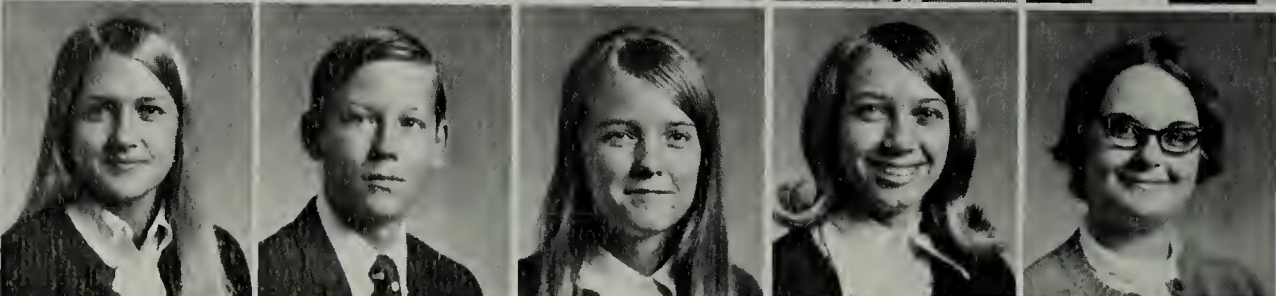
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Donnie Inman  
Harrison James



Otis James  
Carol Jarrell  
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Dean Kestner  
Pat Kestner  
Bob King  
Donna Kiser



Kris Kreger  
Bob Legard  
Darlene Lewis  
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Debbie Lilly

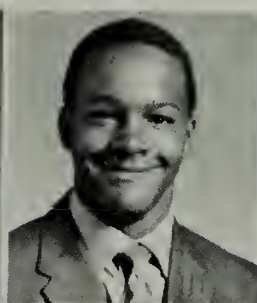
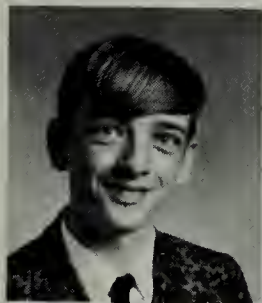




## in the middle . . .

### sophomores

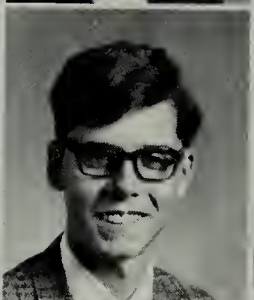
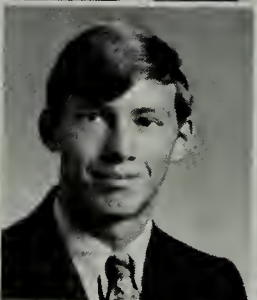
class officers were elected again . . . pictured at left -- R. Singleton, Treasurer; S. Price, Vice President; B. King, President; M. Robinson, Secretary . . . "May I borrow your English notes?" . . . Learner's permits for a lucky few . . . "We dissect REAL animals in biology?" . . . I feel like Dr. Kildare! . . . Did someone mention "cross country"? . . . \$1.23 in the treasury! . . . Sophomore athletes are tops! . . . Sr. Science field trips . . . the class of 1972 . . .



David Loving  
John Lowe  
Norma Lowe  
Shirley Martin  
Euna McConnell



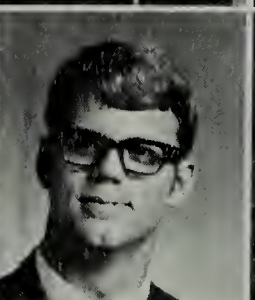
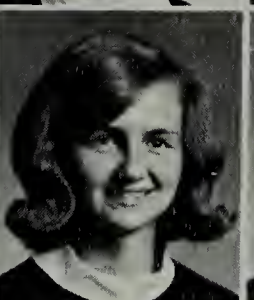
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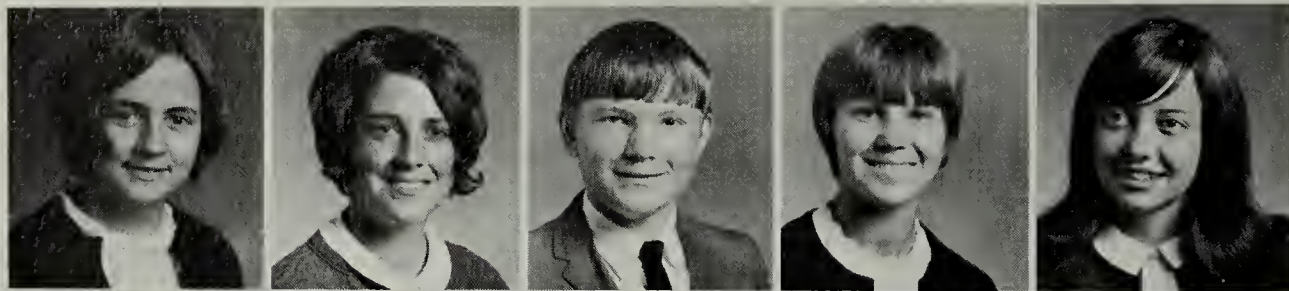


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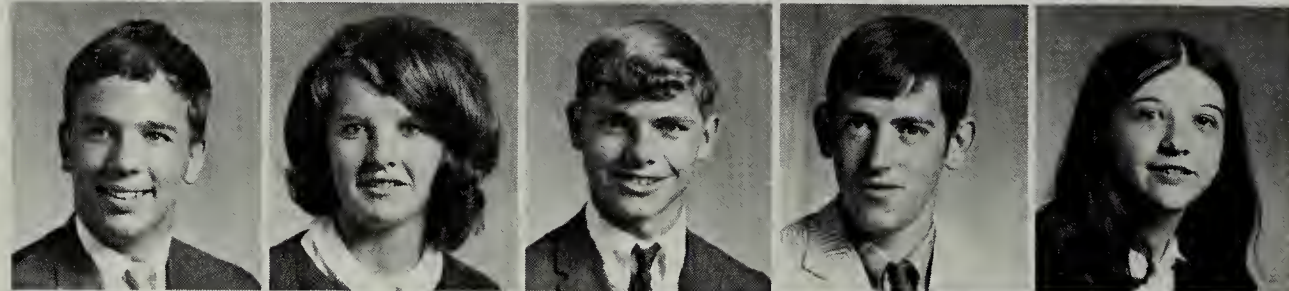




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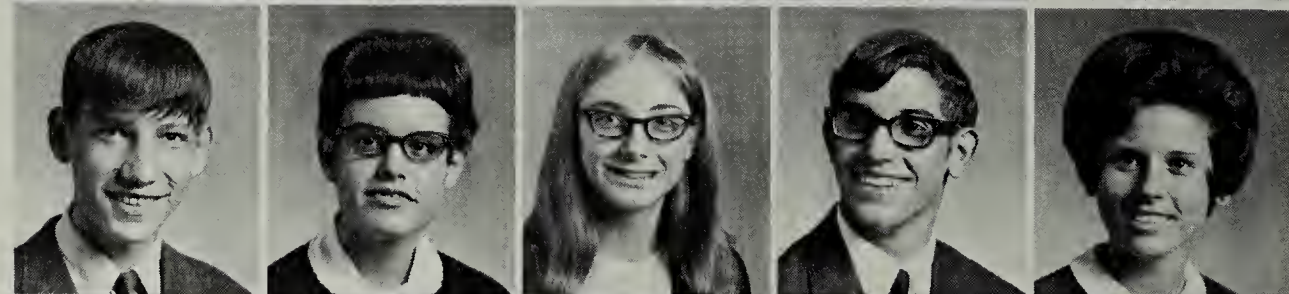
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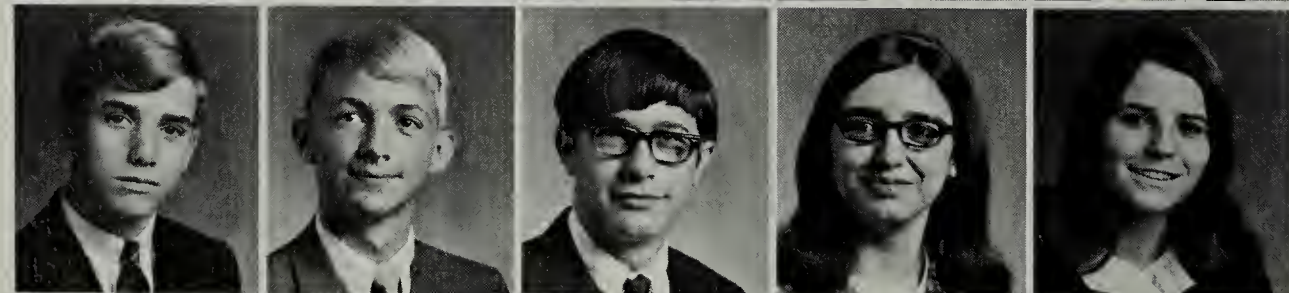
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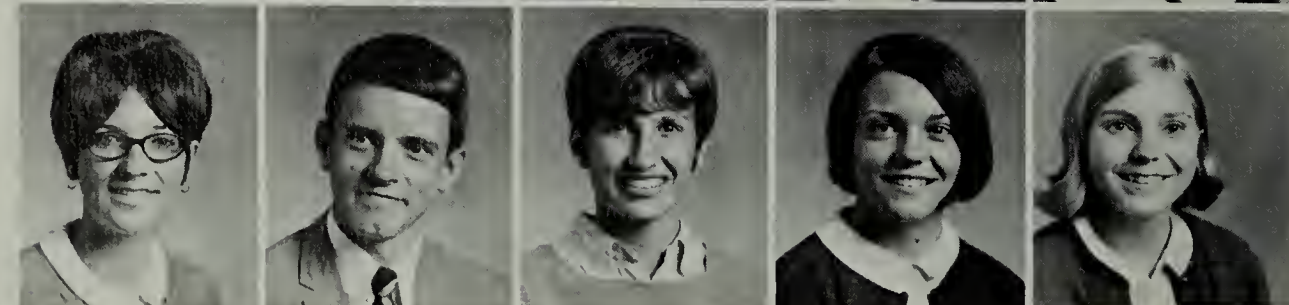
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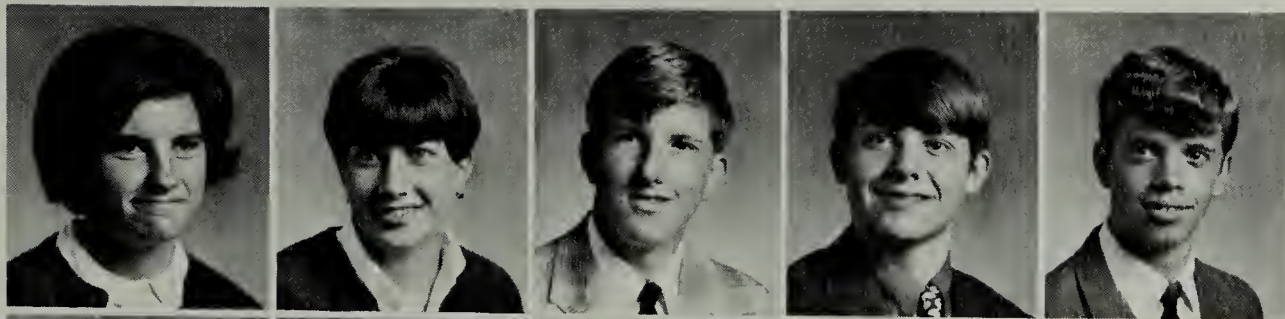


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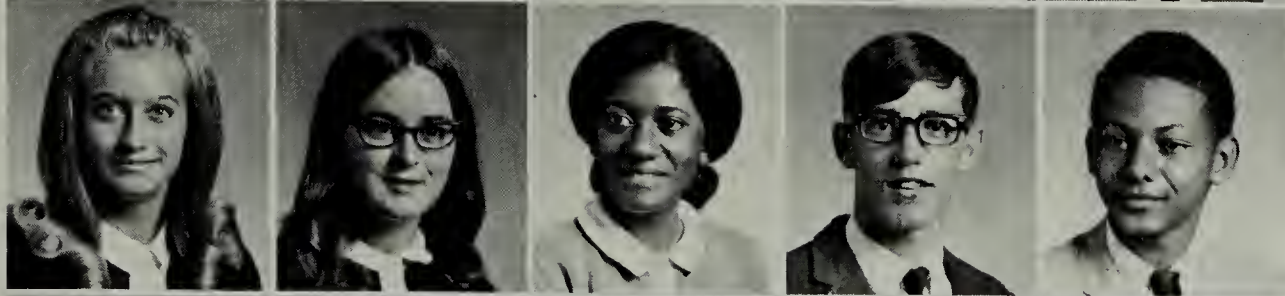


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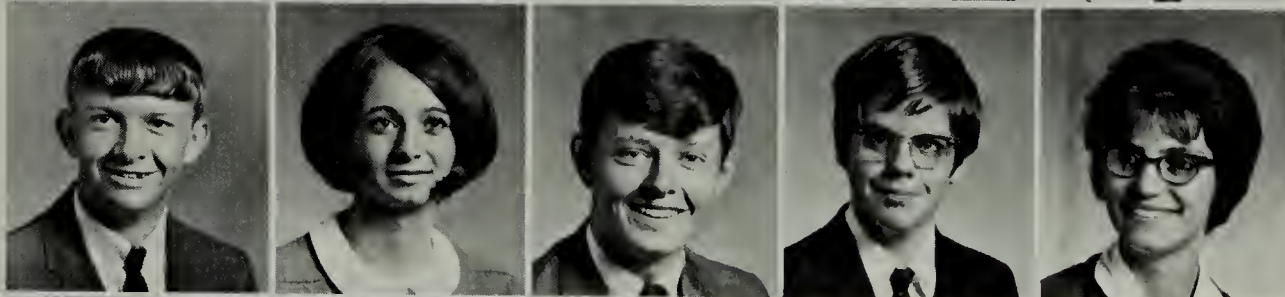




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Terry Whitten



Jimmy Widener  
Linda Widener  
Tommy Williams  
John Wilson  
Brenda Wolfe



Mike Wood  
Patricia Wright  
Steve Wright

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#### SOPHOMORES

Richie Anderson  
Everett Baumgardner  
Kelly Crosswhite  
Robert Hawkins  
Dennis Ketchem  
Reta Diane Mitchell  
Robert Neal  
Don Norris  
Jimmy Roark  
Jackie Sailor  
Jimmy Sorah  
Garith Randy Trivett  
Robert Vannoy

#### JUNIORS

Billy Blackwell  
Bill Eastridge  
Jerry Fritz  
Doug Kestner  
Marvin Lawson  
Carl Lewis  
Gilmer Mann  
Reece Mitchell  
Debbie Munsey  
Mike Richardson  
Steve Wise



Ricky Ratliff demonstrates his ability as a cheerleader during the Interact vs Faculty basketball game.



## freshmen



Carolyn Abel  
Timmy Anderson  
Virgil Anderson  
Tommy Arnold  
Barry Bailey  
Kenneth Balthazar

Nancy Barr  
Susan Barrow  
Curtis Bellamy  
Jeff Blackwell  
Rocky Blevins  
Leon Booth

Jirn Bowden  
Elizabeth Bowman  
Mardia Bradley  
Debbie Callahan  
Connie Campbell  
Sue Campbell

Joyce Carty  
Patricia Church  
Alice Clark  
Betty Clark  
Beth Collins  
Duane Collins

Debbie Compton  
Tommy Counts  
Virginia Culbertson  
Thomas Daughtery  
Robert Dicks  
Phyllis Emmet

David Eskridge  
Susie Ferguson  
Don Fields  
Betty Fortner  
David Foster  
Karen Fritz

Kathy Fugate  
Gary Fuller  
Frankie Fulton  
Janice Fulton  
Evelyn Galliher  
Tommy Garrett

John Gawryla  
Kathy Glover  
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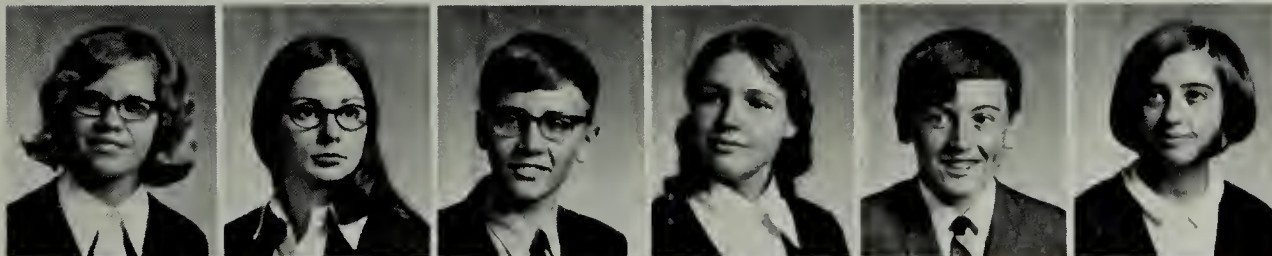




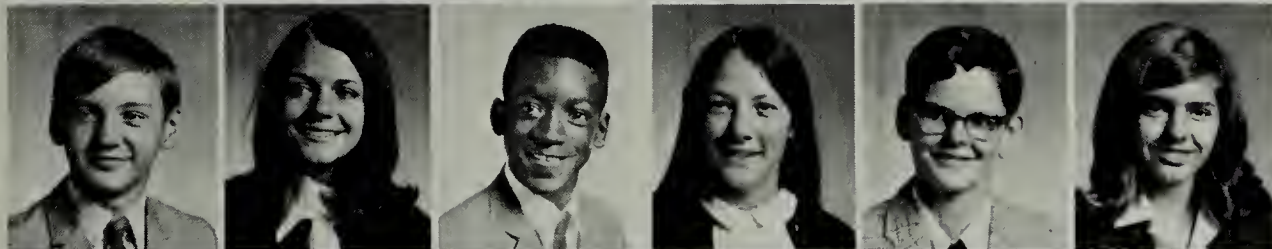
## second year . . .

### freshmen

Hurry, hurry . . . new courses  
 . . . new students . . . pictured at  
 left are our class officers -- S.  
 Price, Treasurer; D. Richards,  
 Vice President; B. Helton, Secre-  
 tary; R. McCool, President . . .  
 "What foreign language are you  
 taking?" . . . French? . . . Span-  
 ish? . . . English?! . . . Earth  
 science is "out of this world"! . . .  
 "What do I know about new math?"  
 . . . "Well,  $2+2=4$ ." . . . the  
 Freshman class . . .



Pat Harless  
 Anne Harwood  
 Stephen Hayden  
 Caryl Hayter  
 Ricky Heldreth  
 Betty Helton



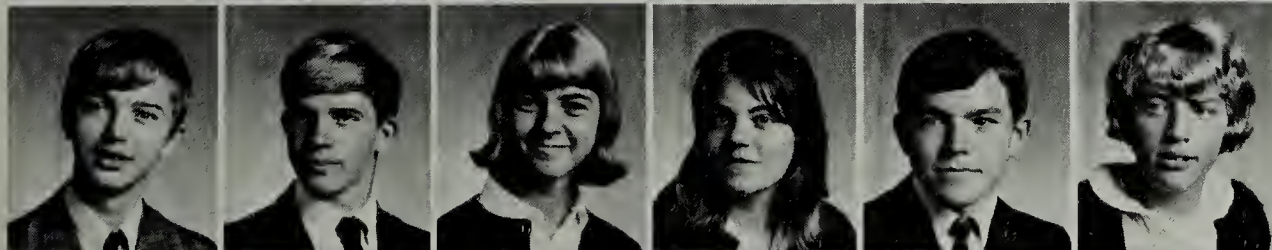
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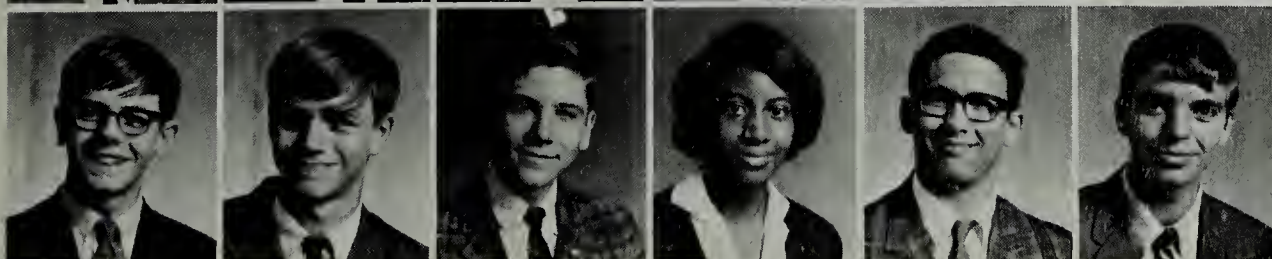
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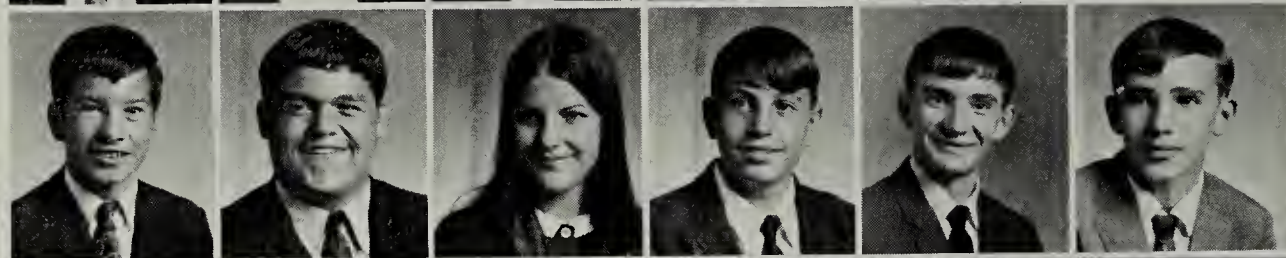
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## freshmen



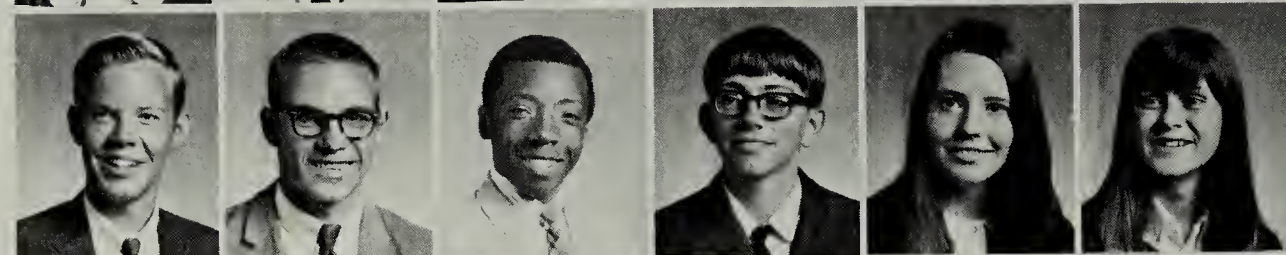
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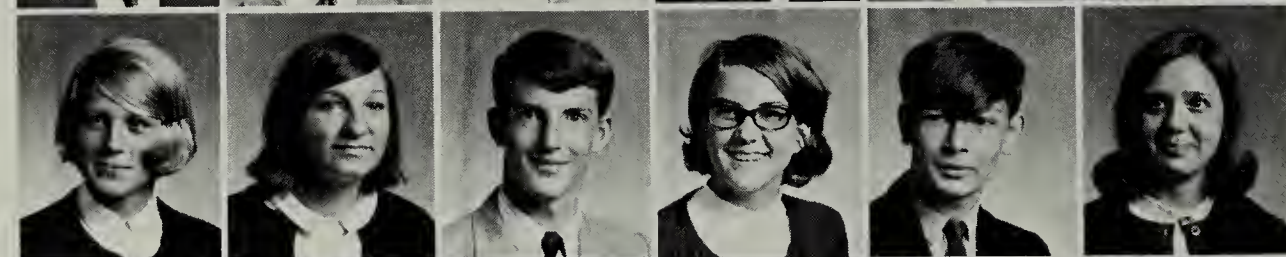
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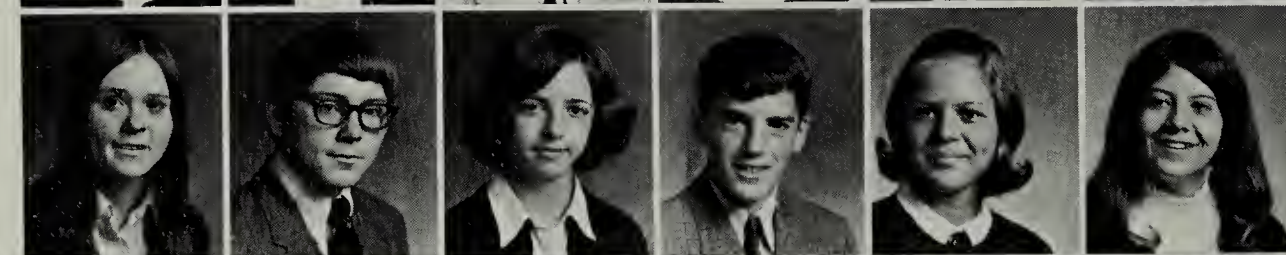
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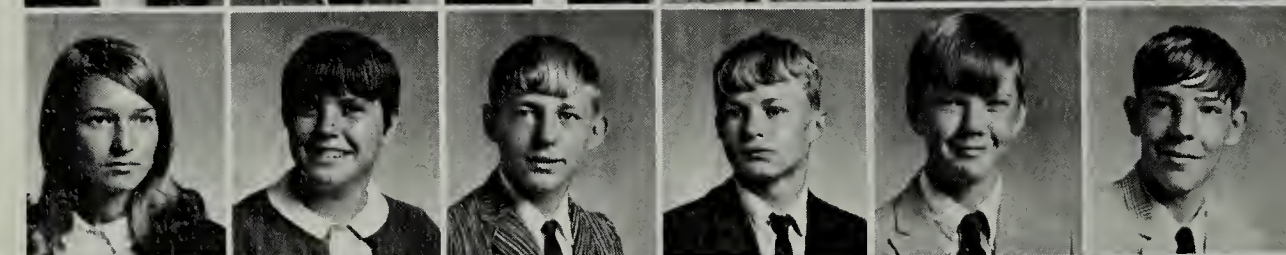
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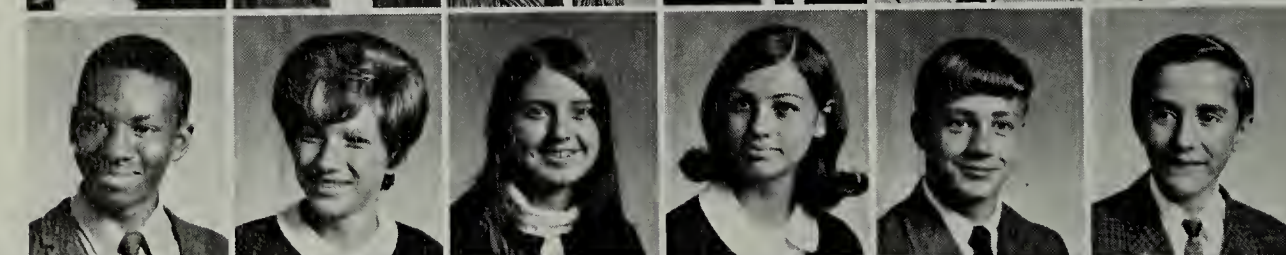
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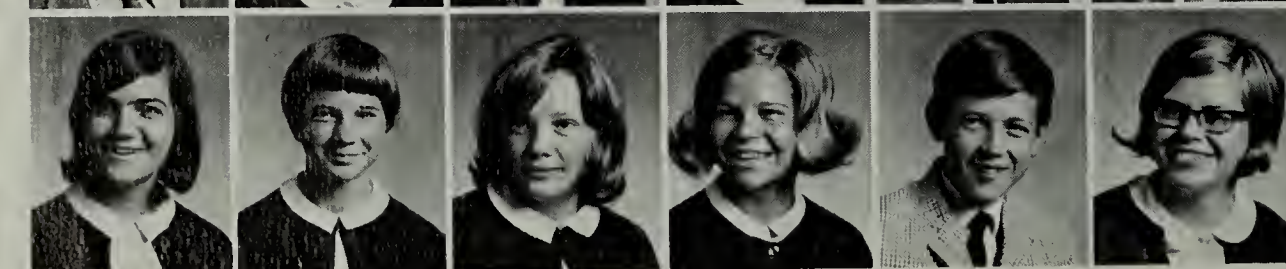
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Wayne Robinette  
Danny Roche  
Donnie Rosenbaum



Milton Ross  
Virginia Russell  
Donna Saltz  
Wilma Shortt  
Ricky Shupe  
Gary Singleton



Connie Smeltzer  
Rachel Smith  
Teresha Smith  
Terry Smith  
Mike Snead  
Audrey South



## freshmen



Jim Sprinkle  
Wayne Stevens  
Jerry Stewart  
Edna Stouffer  
David Stumbaugh  
Christine Sullins

Jackie Tate  
Jennie Taylor  
Candy Terry  
Polly Thayer  
Wayne Thompson  
Ricky Tignor

Ruth Vannoy  
Robert Vestal  
Debbie Walls  
David Walker  
Debbie Wheeler  
Patsy White

Janice Widener  
Cathy Willoughby  
Carol Wilson  
Danny Wolfe  
Glenda Woods  
Brenda Wright

Cindy Wright  
Linda Wright  
Debbie Wyatt  
Richard Wyatt  
Donnie Yates  
Mike Yeatts

## not pictured

### EIGHTH GRADE

Ricky Anderson  
Clyde Belcher  
Conley Compton  
Roger Kestner  
David Lewis  
Deborah Mills  
Randal Moore  
Wayne Pierce  
Harold Rash  
Randy Reynolds  
Judy Shelton  
David Walker  
Charles Wayne Wright

### FRESHMEN

Benton Bordwine  
Donnie Fritz  
Kenneth Fuqua  
Jack Garrett  
Edward Goad  
Glenn Grant  
Floyd Henley  
David Wayne Horne  
William Ronnie Jones  
Allen Kelly  
Robert Mann  
Robert Douglas Mitchell  
Ronald Moore  
Carolyn Faye Neal  
Danny Roark  
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Bernice Woods



Candy Terry takes seriously her induction into the Jr. Tri-Hi-Y.



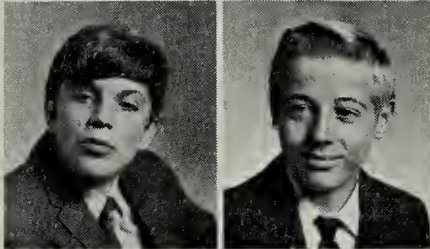
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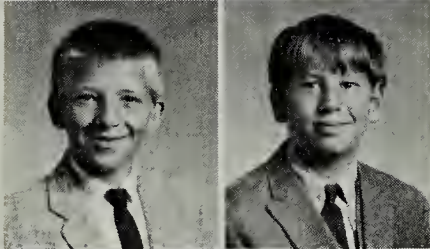
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Vickie Anderson



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Bobby Arnold



Donny Arnold  
Chad Bailey



Darlene Bailey  
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Linda Bartlett  
Clarence Baumgardner  
Nora Baumgardner  
John Berry

Sheila Blaylock  
Glenna Blevins  
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Darlene Bordwine  
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Elaine Bradley  
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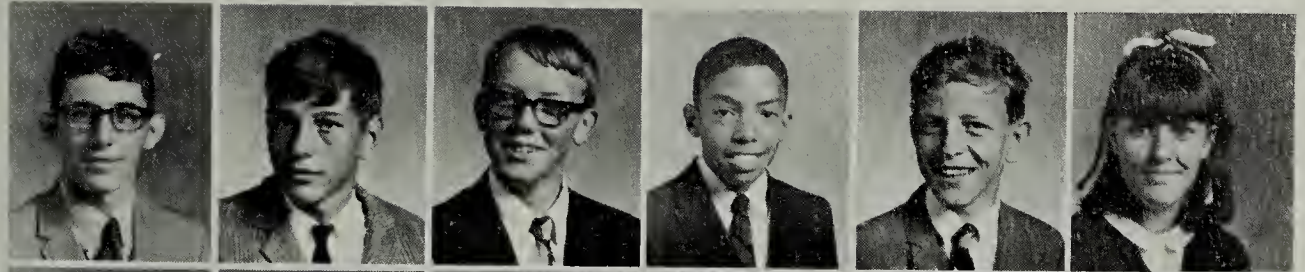
## class of 1974

first day starts routine . . . questions . . .  
"Where's the auditorium?" . . . "What ele-  
vator at end of the hall?" . . . "English for  
55 minutes!" . . . "Should I take shop or  
art?" . . . "up the DOWN staircase" . . .  
lockers -- "38-20-36, what a combination!"  
. . . pictured above are: S. Pinkerton, vice  
president; V. Anderson, president; E. Brad-  
ley, secretary; D. Maiden, treasurer --  
officers of OUR class . . . T minus one  
year and counting . . .

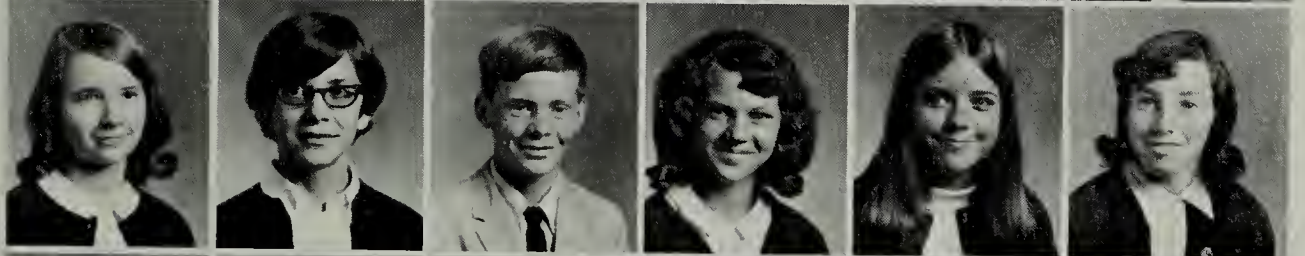


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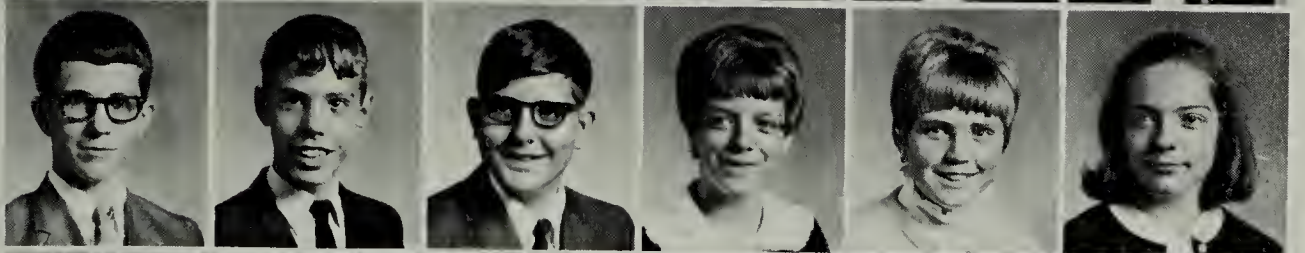
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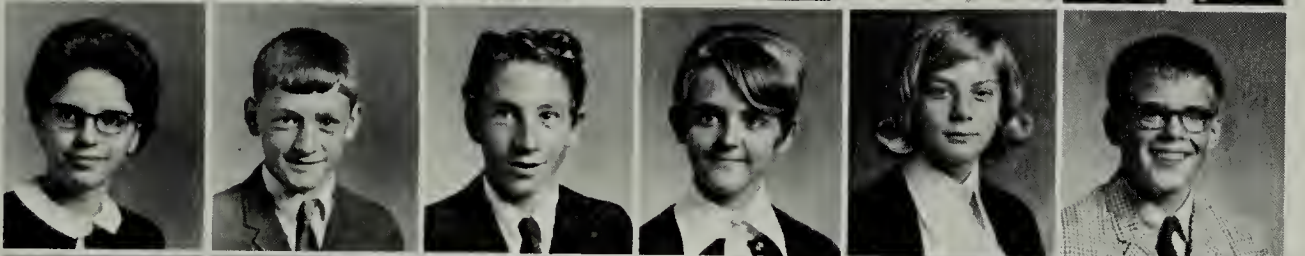
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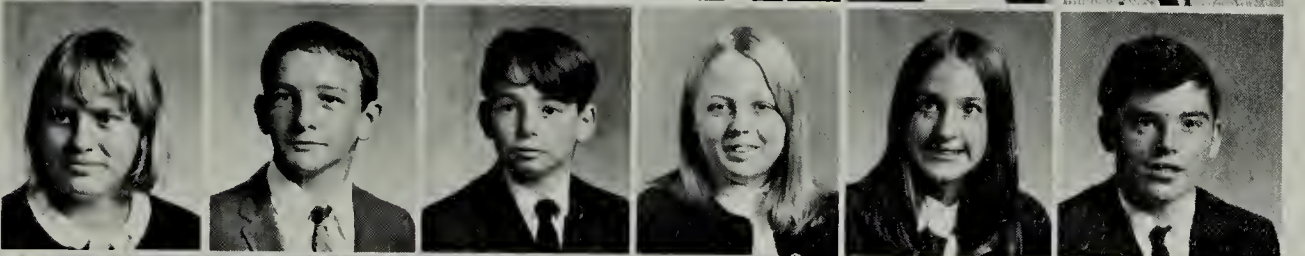
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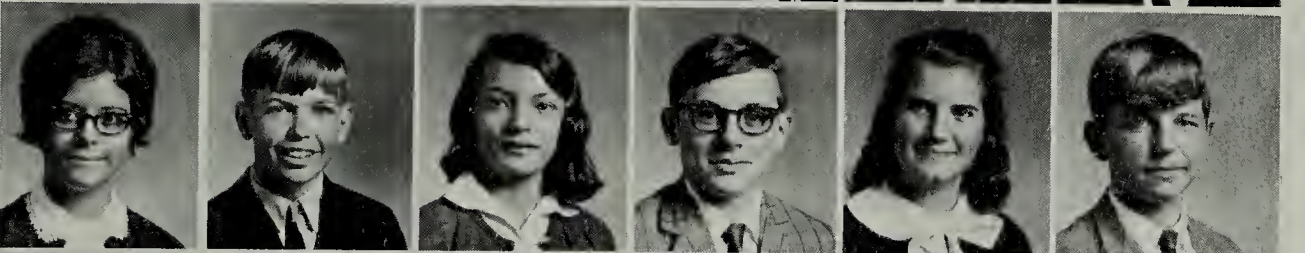
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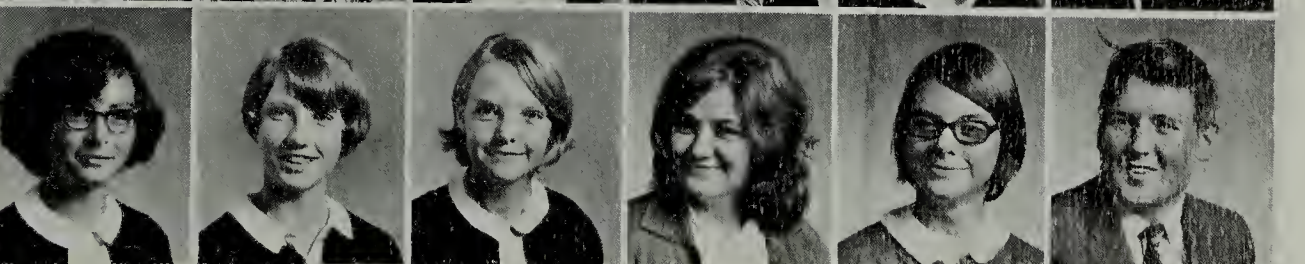
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Stasia Jackson  
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Gail Johnson  
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Butch Kaylor  
Walter Keller  
Sue Ketchem  
Jimmie Kroll  
Mary Lambert  
Curtis Lang



Mary Lawson  
Charlene Lewis  
Patricia Lewis  
Pat Lewis  
Susan Lilly  
Robert Lloyd





# eighth grade



Sue Lloyd  
Marie Lowe  
Marsha Lowe  
Donna Maiden  
Suzanne May  
Gary McCall

Jerry Miller  
Beverly Mink  
Harold Mitchell  
Donna Montgomery  
Larry Montgomery  
Mike Montgomery

Eva Moore  
French Moore  
Mike Motley  
David Murray  
Lewis Nelson  
Ricky Ornduff

Lanny Osborne  
Betty Gayle Parker  
Sandy Parks  
Debbie Peters  
Don Petty  
Sandra Phipps

Diana Pierce  
Sally Pinkerton  
Glen Pippin  
Sue Poole  
Dean Pope  
Faye Pope

Shirley Prelaz  
Beulah Price  
Eugene Price  
Regina Pugh  
Wayne Rainey  
Kathy Reed

Sharon Reed  
Darlene Reynolds  
Vickie Reynolds  
Walter Rice  
Tommy Riddle  
Becky Roberts

Mary Roberts  
Melodie Robinson  
Joyce Sailor  
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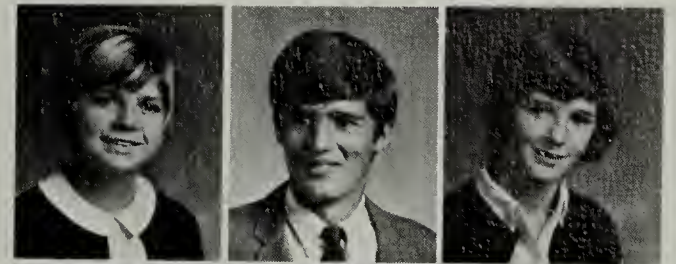


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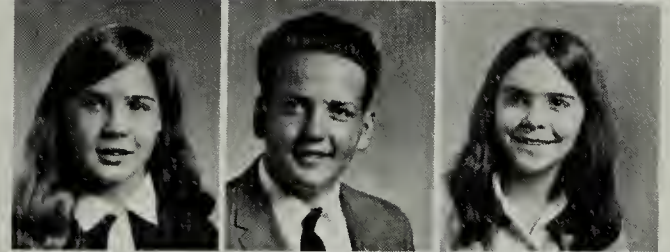


Mildred Webber puts up "spirit" signs during Homecoming week.

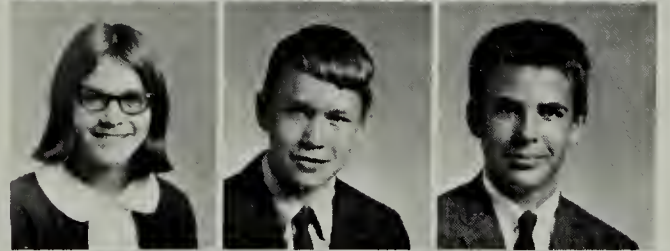
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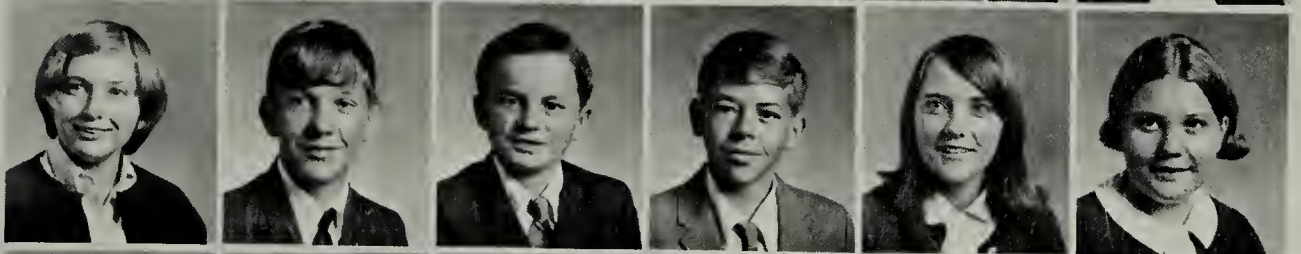
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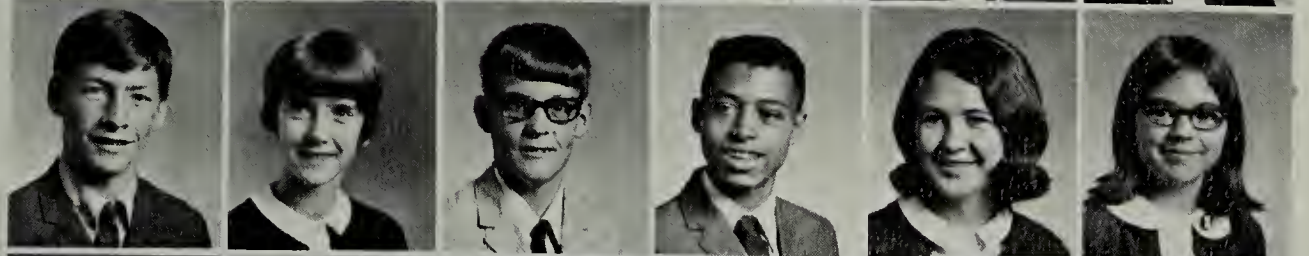
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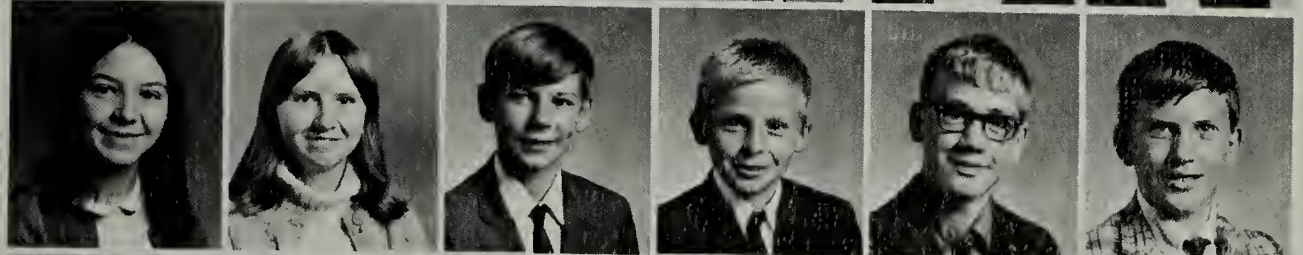
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Gary Urbani  
Eddie Vannoy  
Mike Vaughan  
Sandra Vestal  
Mary Via



Billy Walker  
Mildred Webber  
Ricky White  
Jerry Whitten  
Barbara Widener  
Brenda Widener



Elsie Widener  
Maggie Widener  
Raymond Widener  
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Brian Willard  
Billy Williamson



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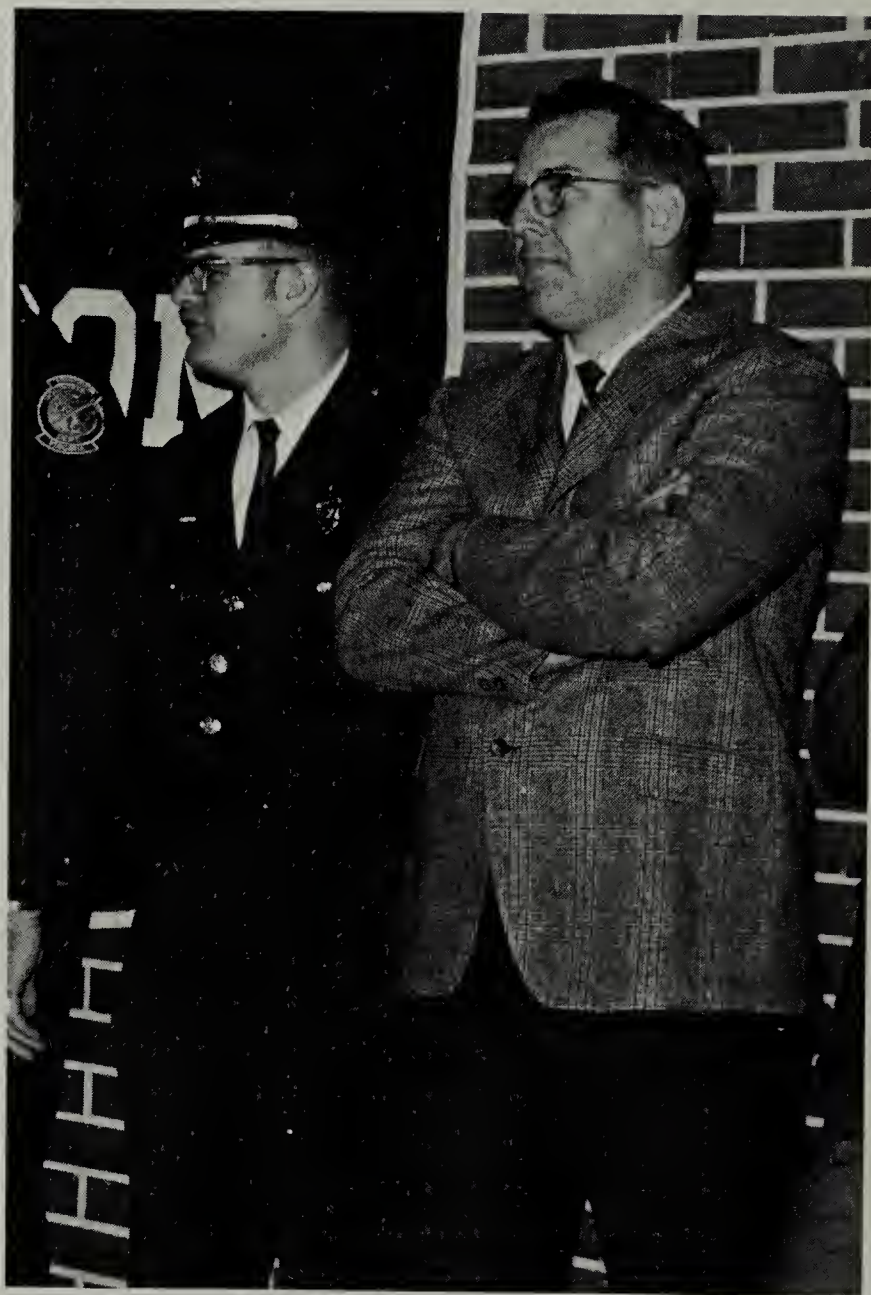




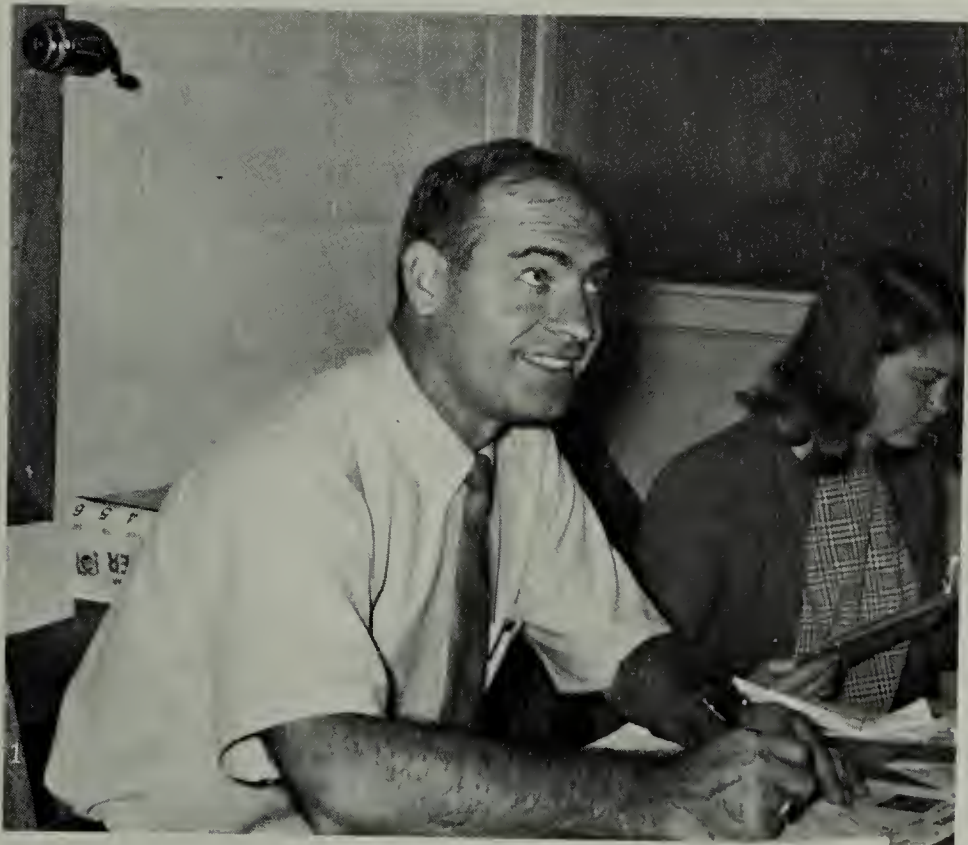
# new people for new decisions . . .

## administration

Mr. Clyde Pigman, principal . . . Mr. Pigman was born in Kentucky . . . He attended Eastern Kentucky University where he obtained his M.A. . . . Mr. Pigman was a soldier after his high school education . . . On completing his military life, he returned to school for his college education . . . Became a teacher after college . . . He was also an assistant principal before coming to Abingdon . . . Last year at Abingdon he taught U.S. History and government . . . He was also in charge of student activities . . . is married and his wife is a teacher . . . They have one daughter . . . Some of Mr. Pigman's hobbies are hunting and fishing.







1. Mr. H. J. Preston . . . Born, Kentucky . . . Attended Marshall University where he obtained a B.S. and East Tennessee State University where he received his M.Ed. . . . Mr. Preston is Dean of Students . . . works with student problems, attendance, and activities . . . Hobbies include golf, water skiing, and spectator sports. 2. Mr. Kenneth Mathews . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended the University of Virginia where he obtained a B.S. . . . also attended National Business College of Roanoke . . . Assistant principal . . . Hobbies include golf, baseball, basketball, football, and all other sports. 3. Mrs. Ann Bare . . . Born, Virginia . . . Mrs. Bare was previously employed at Washington County Bank . . . Is a personal secretary to Mr. Pigman and handles all correspondence and financial records . . . Hobbies include working around the house. 4. Mrs. Julia Sales . . . Born, Virginia . . . Mrs. Sales attends to all office procedures . . . One of her former occupations was clerk typist for the Progressive Community Club . . . Hobbies include all sports, especially basketball and tennis . . . She also enjoys writing and sketching.



# biology to history . . .

## faculty

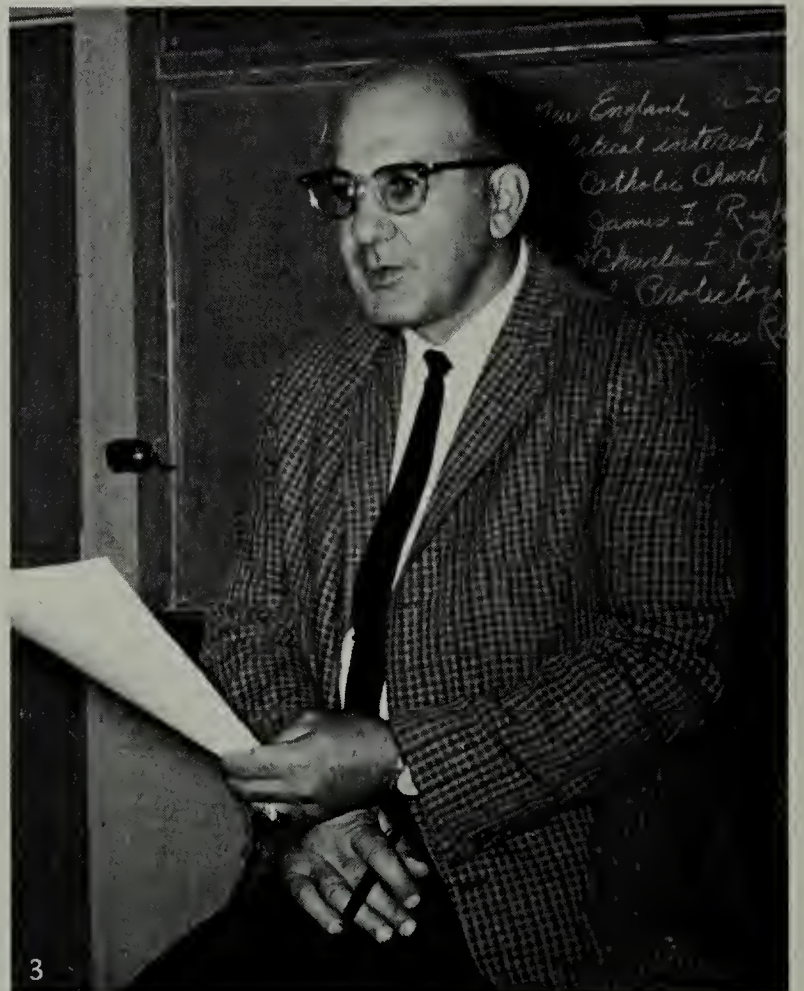
1. Mrs. Beatrice Cox . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended Radford where she obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches biology and sponsors Future Teachers of America . . . Hobbies include gardening. 2. Mrs. Linda Kiser . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended East Tennessee State University where she obtained a B.S. . . . Subjects include Typing I and general business . . . Sponsors Future Business Leaders of America . . . 3. Mr. Paul Santillo . . . Born, Ohio . . . Attended Youngstown University where he obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches biology, world history, and U.S. History . . . Also Coaches eighth grade football and basketball . . . Hobbies include golf.



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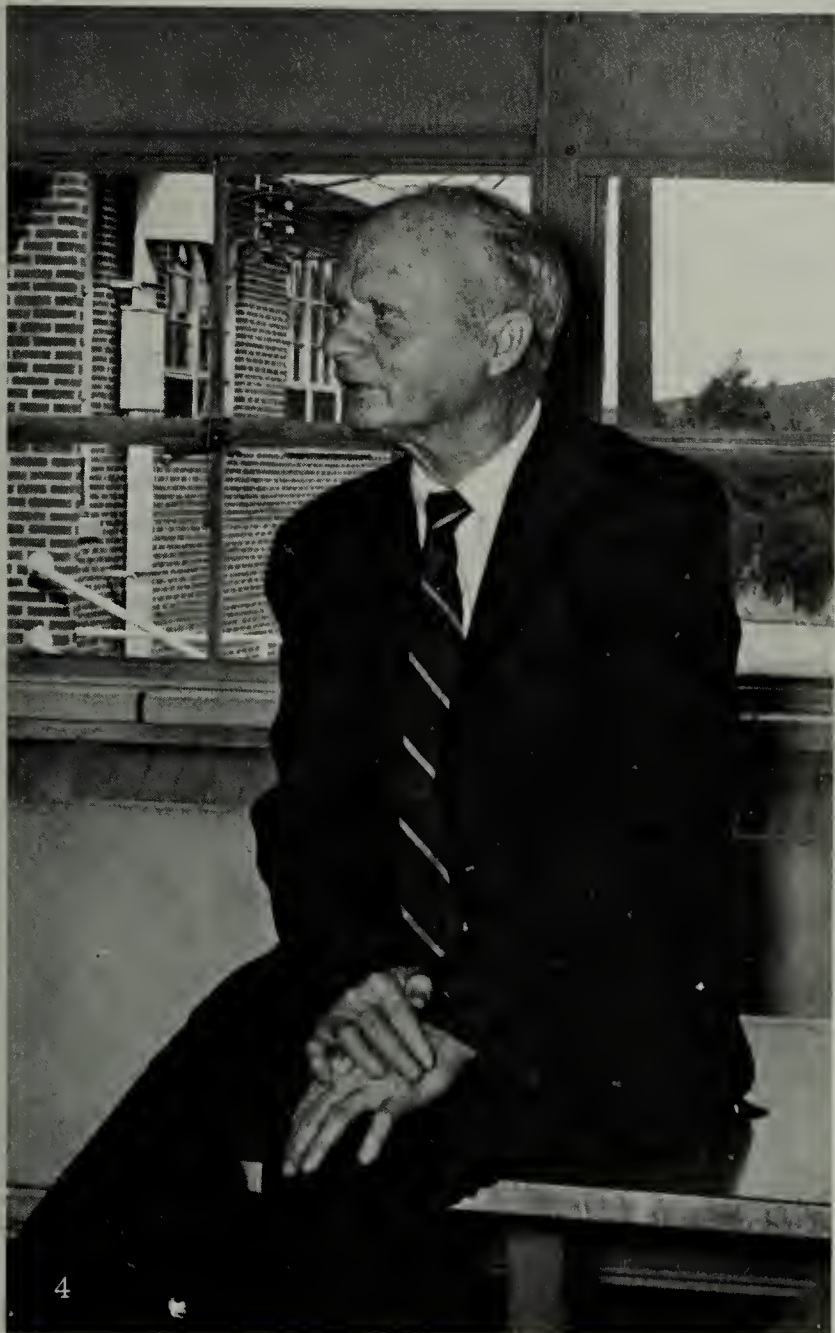


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4. Mr. John Elliott . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a B.S. from East Tennessee State University and Virginia Commonwealth University . . . Teaches Distributive Education and sponsors D.E. Club . . . Hobbies include sports. 5. Mrs. Beatrice Jerrue . . . Born, Kentucky . . . Attended University of Virginia and East Tennessee State University . . . obtained an A.B. degree . . . Teaches U.S. History, current history, and government. 6. Mrs. Mary Miller . . . Born, Ohio . . . obtained a M.A. from Ohio State . . . Guidance Counselor . . . Sponsors Flame Tri-Hi-Y . . . Hobbies include gardening. 7. Mr. Roderick Coleman . . . Born, Alabama . . . Obtained a B.S. from William and Mary . . . teaches trig., algebra and college math . . . Sponsors Key Club . . . Hobbies include playing checkers.



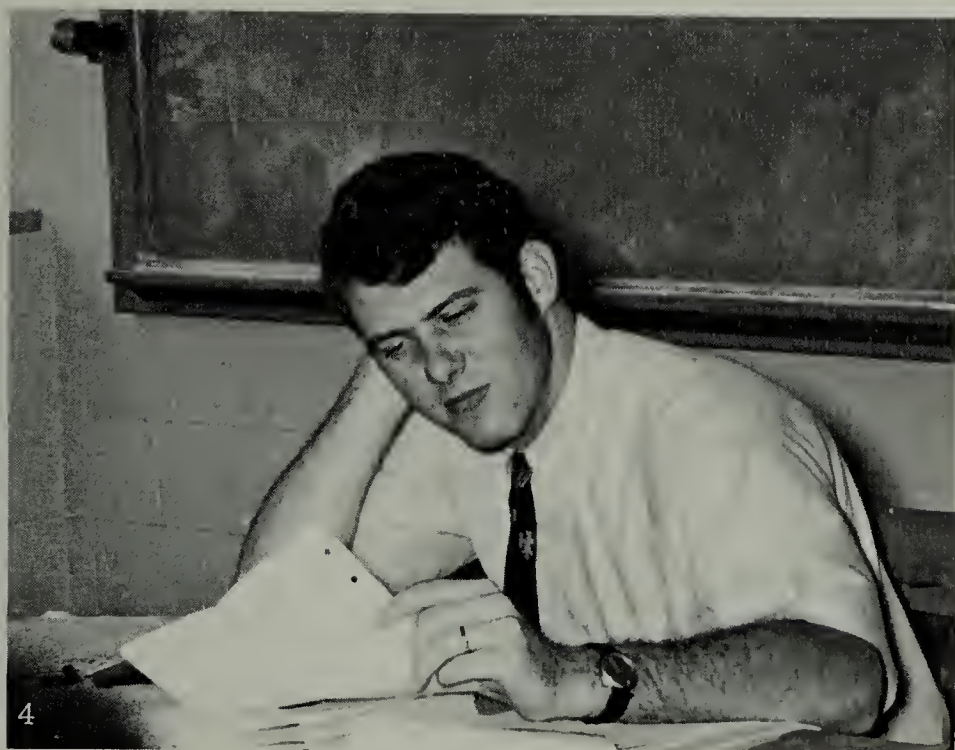


## bookkeeping to math . . .

### faculty

1. Mrs. Mary J. Robinson . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a B.S. from East Tennessee State University . . . Teaches shorthand, typing, office practice, and bookkeeping . . . sponsors the Future Business Leaders of America . . . Hobbies include cooking and sewing.
2. Mrs. Charlotte Faris . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended Radford where she obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches home economics . . . Hobbies include sewing . . . resigned at the end of first semester.
3. Mr. John Garrett . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended East Tennessee State University where he obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches industrial arts and driver's training . . . Hobbies include horses.





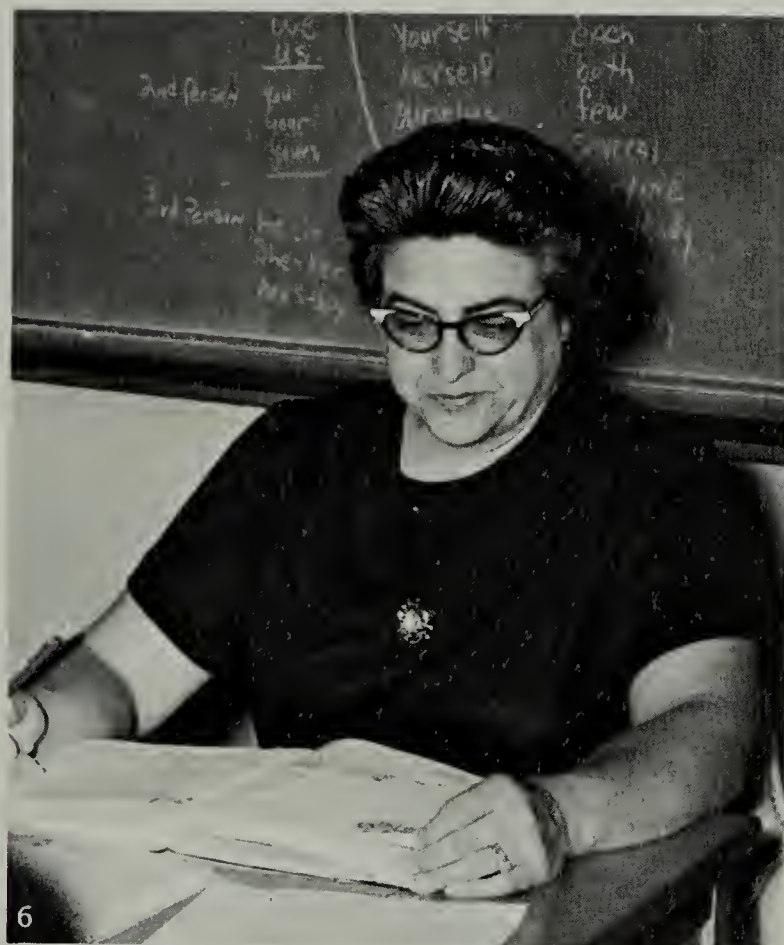
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## faculty

4. Mr. Joel Hortenstine . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended the University of Tennessee where he obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches economics and government . . . Hobbies include horseback riding and sports. 5. Mrs. Martha Yeary . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a B.S. from William and Mary . . . Teaches science 9 and chemistry . . . sponsors the Civinettes . . . Hobbies include painting. 6. Mrs. Ruth Mongle . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended Radford where she obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches special reading . . . Hobbies include reading and knitting. 7. Miss Edna Butt . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a B.S. from Radford . . . Teaches math and sponsors the Sr. Tri-Hi-Y . . . Hobbies include music.



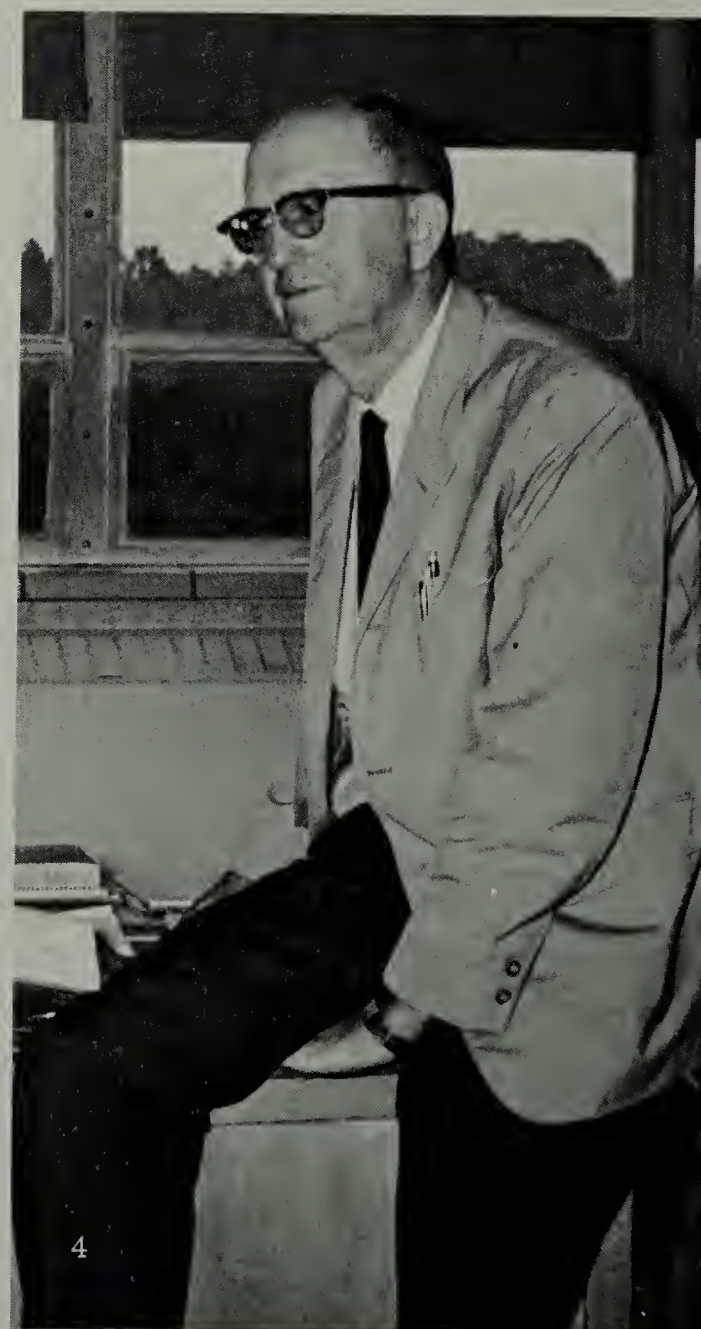
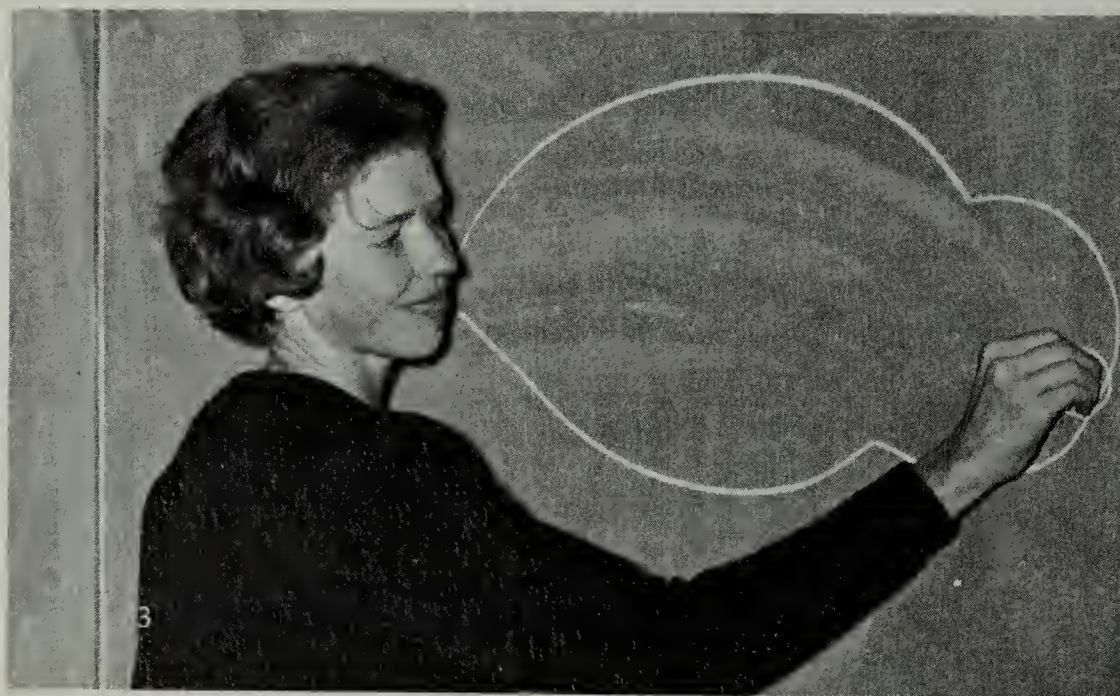
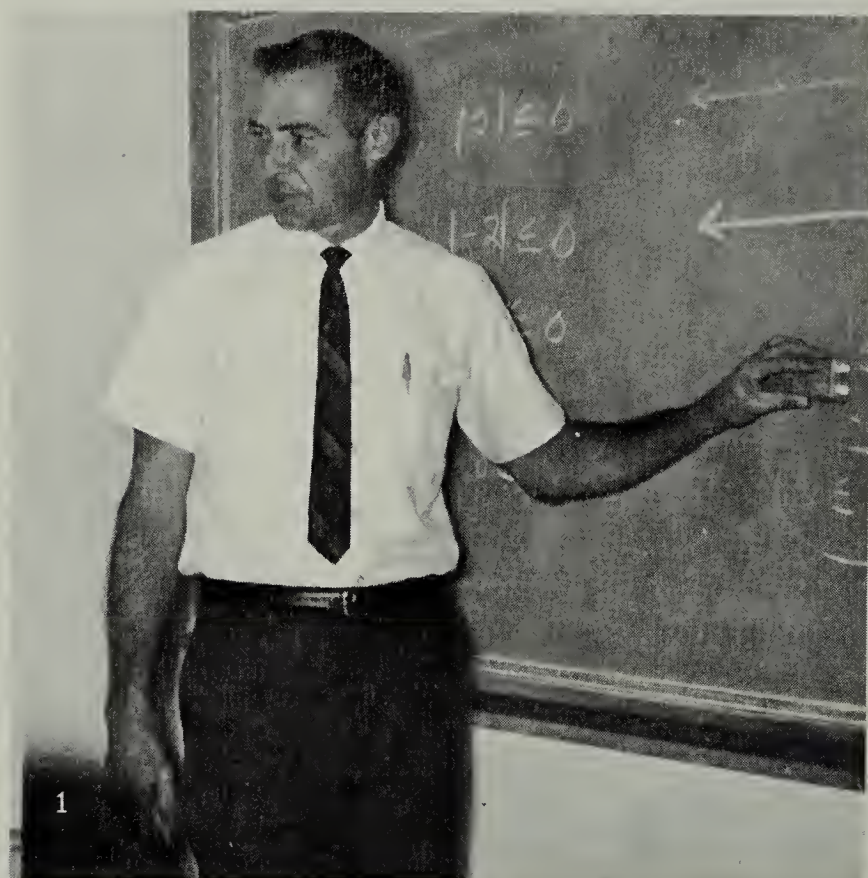
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## physics to football . . .

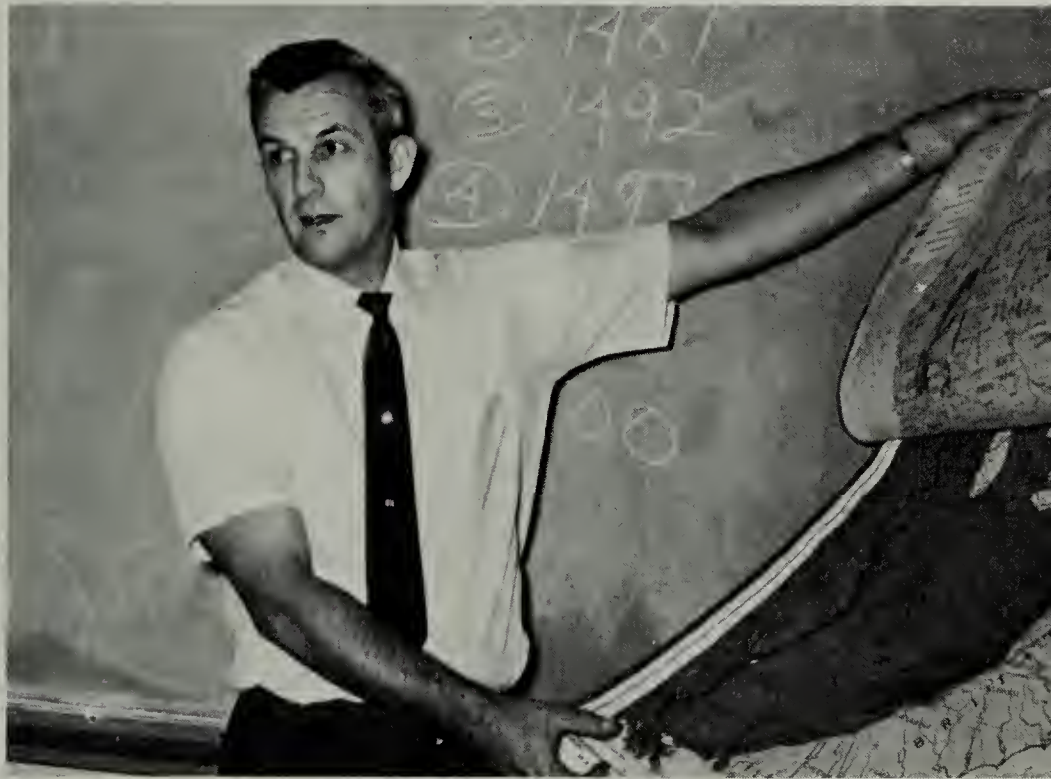
### faculty

1. Mr. Donald Fleenor . . . Born, Virginia . . . Obtained a B.S. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches geometry, algebra, and physics . . . sponsors Sr. Science . . . Hobbies include playing cards. 2. Mr. Donald Pruitt . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an A.B. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches world geography and U.S. History . . . Also coaches football . . . Hobbies include all types of sports. 3. Mrs. Dorothy Daughtrey . . . Born, North Carolina . . . obtained a M.S. from George Washington University . . . Teaches general science . . . Hobbies include bridge, sewing, and gardening. 4. Mr. C. M. Rice . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended Emory and Henry where he obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches math . . . Hobbies include farming.





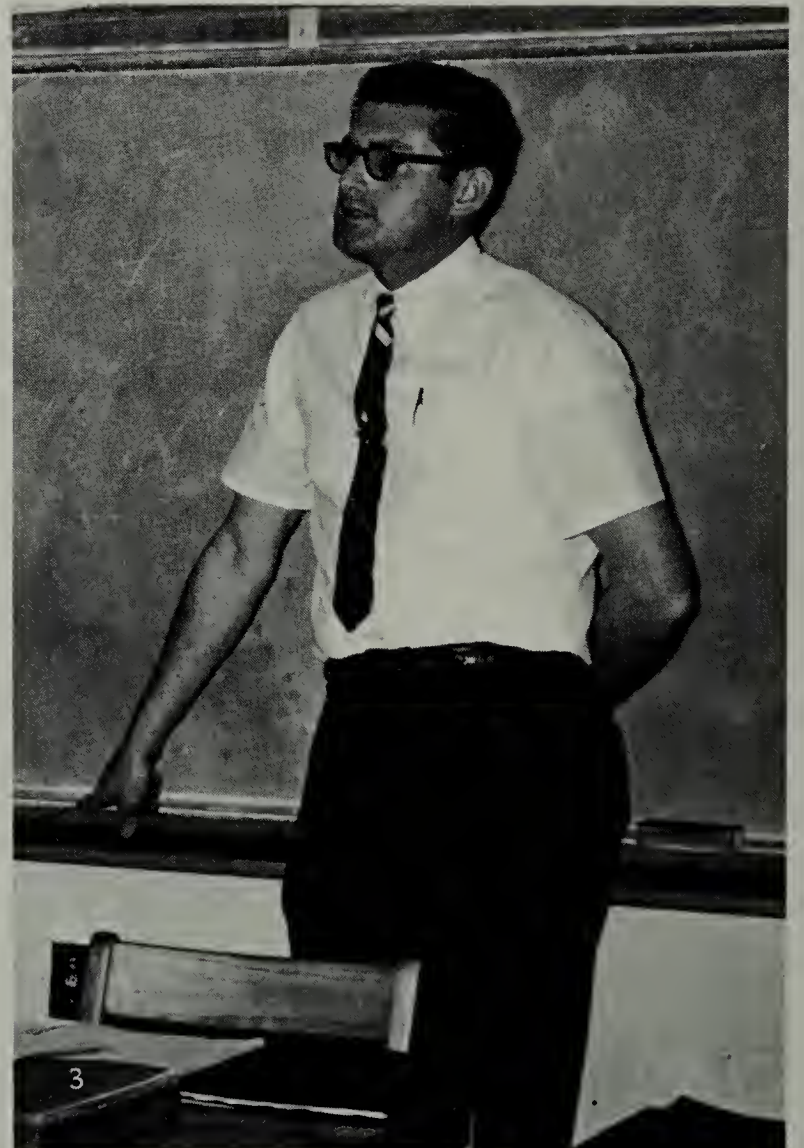
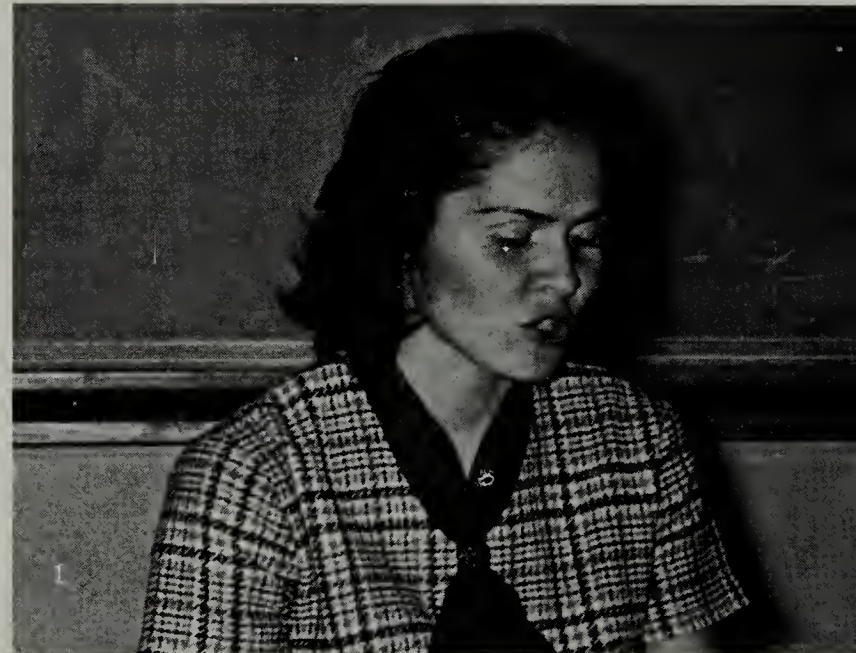
5. Mrs. Virginia Flanagan . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended the University of Virginia where she obtained a M.Ed. . . . Teaches science and sponsors the Jr. Tri-Hi-Y . . . Hobbies include flowers. 6. Mr. James Fletcher . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an A.B. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches social studies and sponsors the Interact Club . . . is the mayor of Damascus . . . Hobbies include fire instructing. 7. Mr. Johnny Goodwin . . . Born, Michigan . . . obtained a B.S. from East Tennessee State University . . . teaches special shop and mechanical drawing . . . Hobbies include motorcycle racing and antique cars. 8. Mrs. Jeanette Hargroves . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a B.S. and M.S. from East Tennessee State University . . . Teaches home economics and is a sponsor of the Future Homemakers of America . . . Hobbies include reading and sewing.





# english to french . . . faculty

1. Mrs. Georgia Moore . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an A.B. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches English and sponsors the Sr. Tri-Hi-Y . . . Hobbies include jeep driving, reading, and cooking.
2. Mrs. Jane Moore . . . Born, Georgia . . . she obtained an A.B. degree from University of Georgia . . . teaches French . . . Hobbies include swimming, traveling, and cooking.
3. Mr. James Mitchell . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended Western Kentucky University where he obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches English . . . Hobbies include swimming and being out of doors.



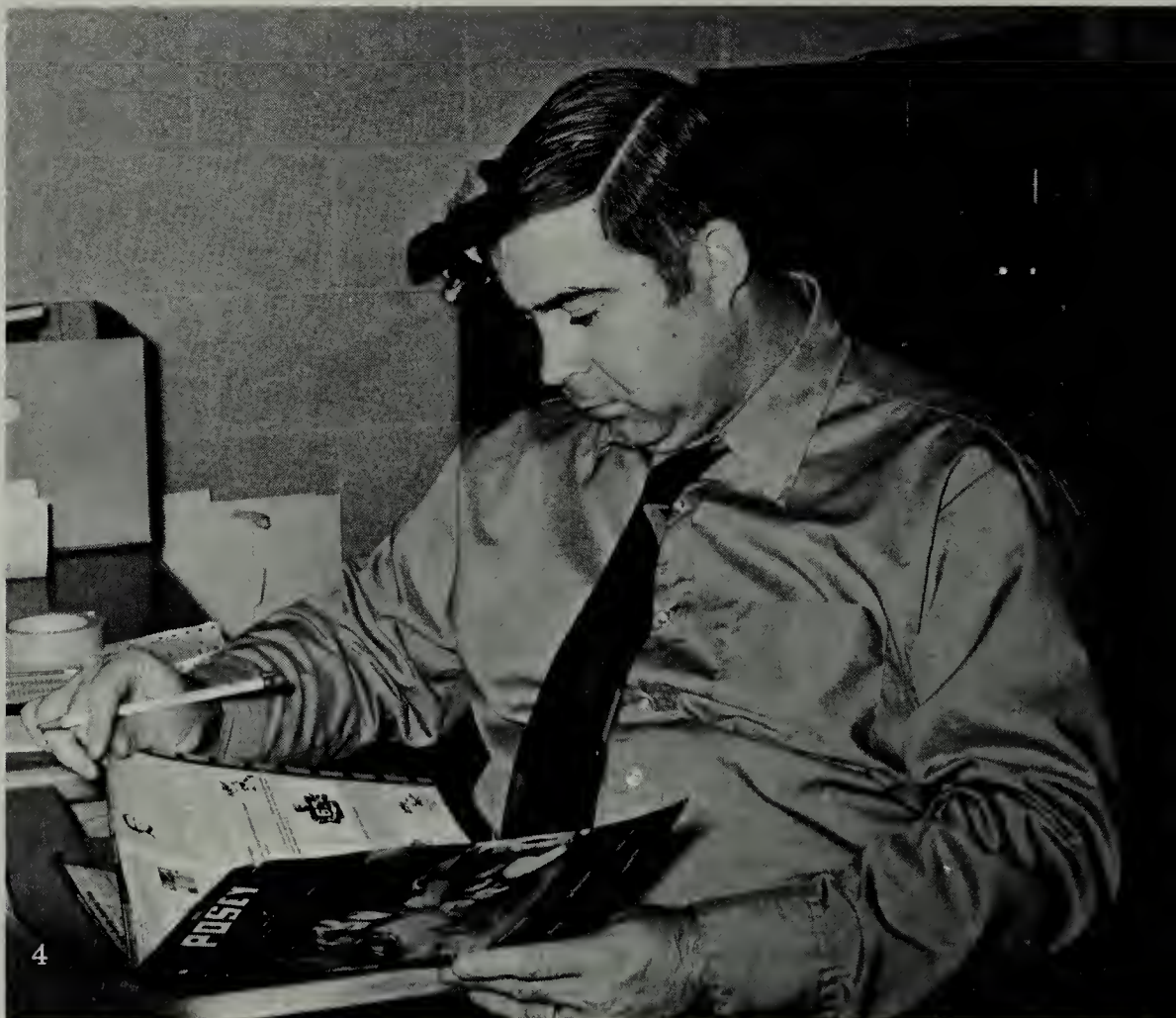
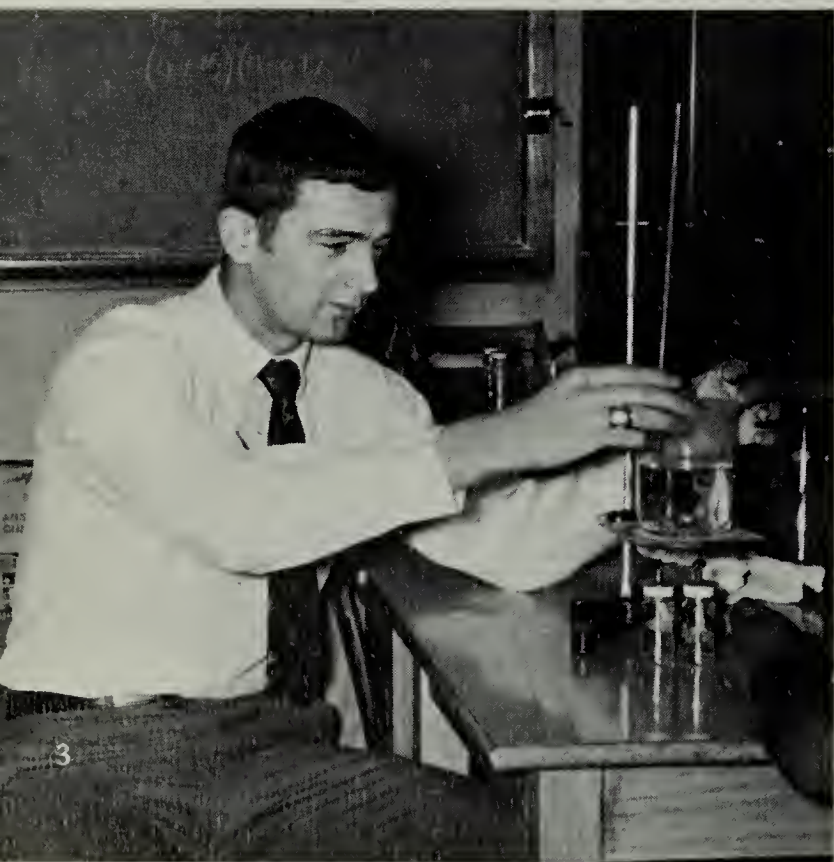




4. Mrs. Jean Shelton . . . Born, West Virginia . . . Attended Marshall University where she obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches English and sponsors the Student Cooperative Association . . . Hobbies include needle point and cooking. 5. Mrs. Carolyn Wagner . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an A.B. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches English 8, speech and drama, and journalism . . . sponsors the "Talon" . . . Hobbies include knitting and working in plays. 6. Mr. Mickey Tyler . . . Born, Tennessee . . . Attended East Tennessee State University where he obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches eighth grade band and chorus, glee club, and high school band . . . Hobbies include tennis and swimming. 7. Mrs. Lena Woolwine . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a M.Ed. from the University of Virginia . . . Teaches humanities and twelfth grade English . . . Hobbies include gardening and reading.



1. Miss Mary Burnette . . . Born, Tennessee . . . obtained a M.A. from East Tennessee State University . . . librarian and sponsor of the Library Club . . . Hobbies include reading, bowling, and horseback riding. 2. Miss Gwendolyn Johnson . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an A.B. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches physical education and health and sponsors the Junior Varsity cheerleaders . . . Likes all types of sports. 3. Mr. Michael Lethcoe . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended East Tennessee State University where he obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches general science and U.S. History . . . Hobbies include bowling. 4. Mr. Gary Stacy . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended East Tennessee State University where he obtained a M.A. . . . Teaches driver's training and sponsors the Monogram Club . . . Coaches football and golf . . . likes sports of all kinds.





# home economics to drivers training . . .

## faculty



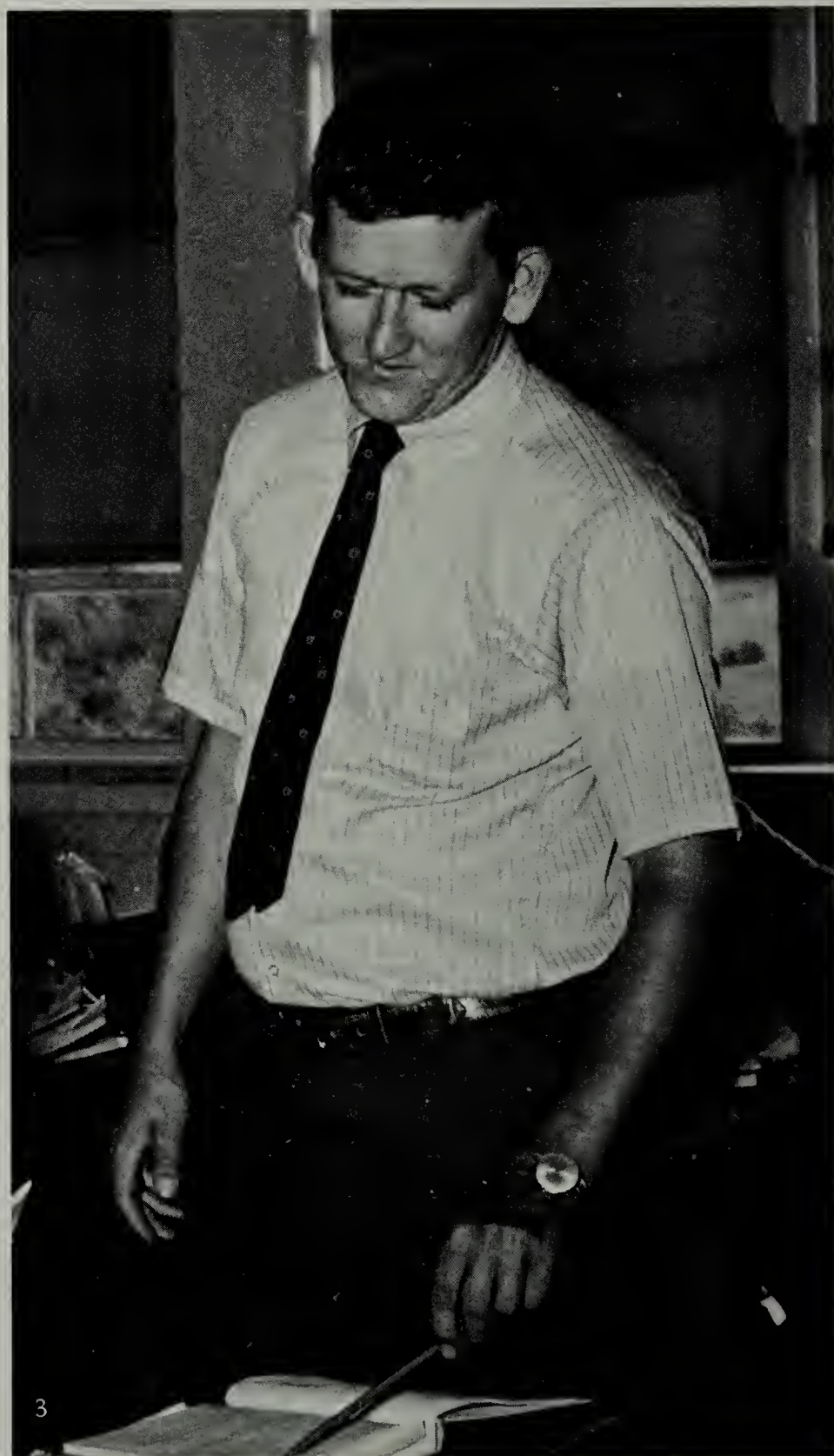
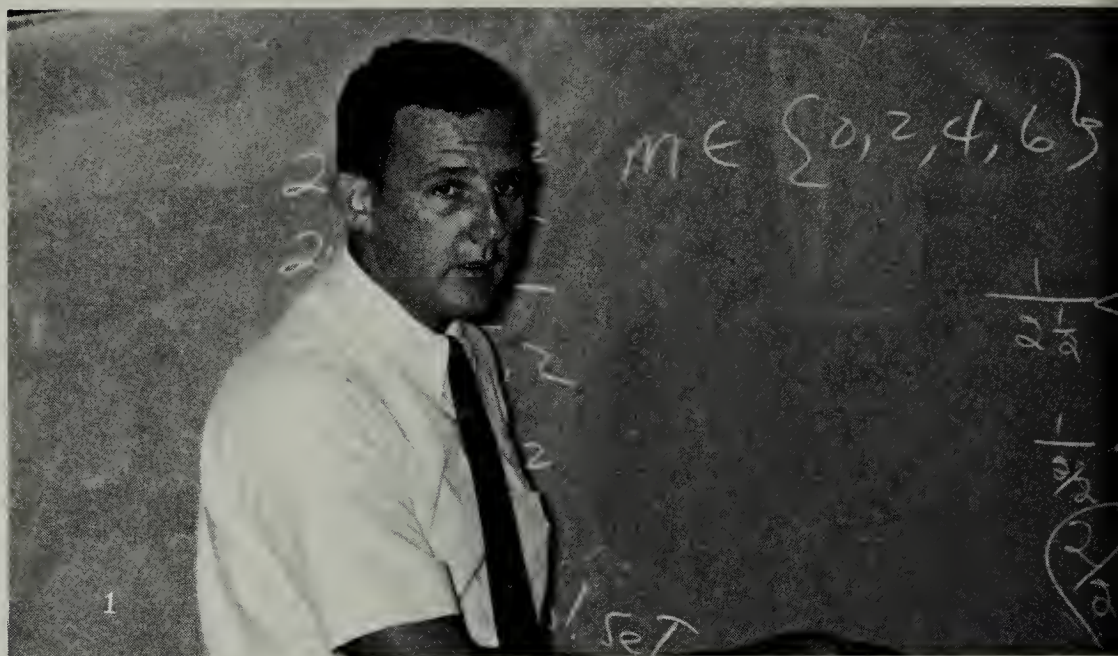
5. Mr. William Link . . . Born, North Carolina . . . obtained a B.S. from Wake Forest . . . Teaches U.S. History, physical education, and science . . . was a line coach . . . left at the end of the first semester . . . Hobbies include golf. 6. Mrs. Mary Blevins . . . Born, Tennessee . . . Attended Emory and Henry where she obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches art . . . Hobbies include gardening, golf, and handiwork. 7. Mrs. Eleanor Thayer . . . Born, West Virginia . . . Attended Concord where she obtained a B.S. . . . teaches home economics and is a sponsor of the Future Homemakers of America . . . Hobbies include knitting, sewing, and reading.





# physical education to civics . . .

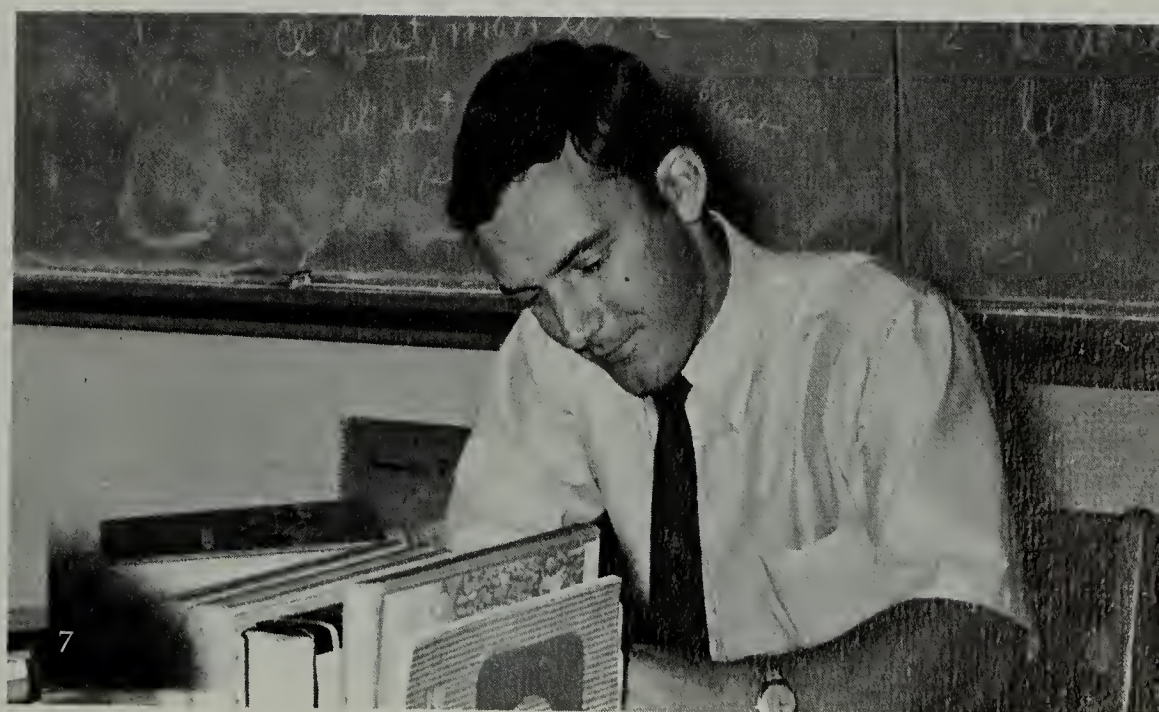
1. Mr. Tony Hughes . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended East Tennessee State University where he obtained a B.S. . . . Teaches eighth grade math . . . also coaches baseball . . . Hobbies include hunting and fishing. 2. Mrs. June Roberts . . . Born, Tennessee . . . obtained an A.B. from Carson-Newman . . . Teaches English and sponsors the "Beacon" . . . Hobbies include bowling. 3. Mr. Gail Rutledge . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an A.B. from Emory and Henry . . . Teaches English and physical education . . . also coaches the Junior Varsity basketball team . . . sponsors the Sr. Hi-Y . . . Hobbies include golf.





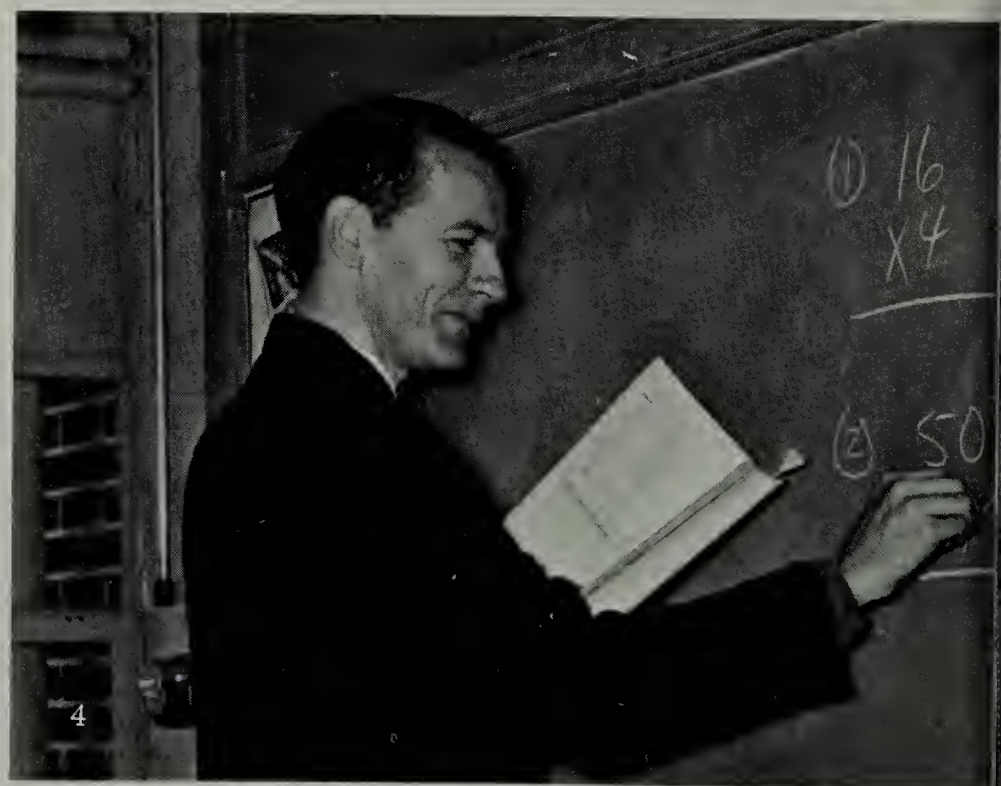
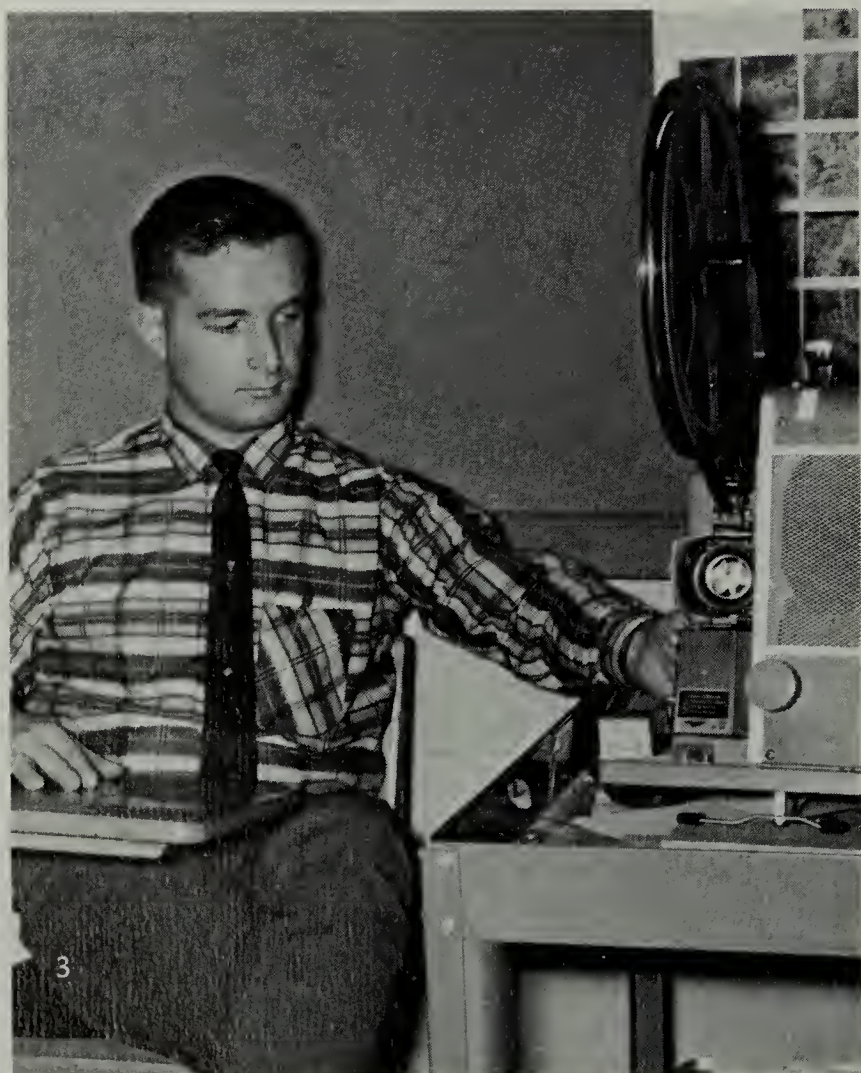


4. Mrs. Blanche Smalling . . . Born, Tennessee . . . obtained an A.B. from the University of Chattanooga . . . Teaches English . . . Hobbies include reading and going camping. 5. Mrs. Virginia Witherspoon . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained an M.A. from the University of Virginia . . . Guidance counselor . . . Hobbies include reading. 6. Mrs. Doris Southerlin . . . Born, Virginia . . . Attended Emory and Henry where she obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches English and sponsors the National Honor Society . . . Hobbies include cooking and sewing. 7. Mr. Jerry Bishop . . . Born, Tennessee . . . obtained a M.A. from the University of Virginia . . . Teaches sociology and civics . . . also coaches basketball and baseball . . . sponsors the Monogram Club . . . Hobbies include all types of sports.





1. Mr. Joel Carroll . . . Born, North Carolina . . . Attended Lenoir-Rhyne where he obtained an A.B. . . . Teaches physical education . . . also coached Junior Varsity basketball and was a line coach . . . left before Christmas to return to school . . . Hobbies include all sports. 2. Miss Judy Wallace . . . Born, Tennessee . . . Obtained a B.S. from East Tennessee State University . . . Teaches physical education and health . . . sponsors the Varsity cheerleaders . . . Hobbies include all types of sports. 3. Mr. William Crabtree . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a B.S. from Virginia Polytechnic Institute . . . Teaches agriculture and science 8 . . . sponsors the Future Farmers of America . . . Hobbies include motorcycle riding, archery, and farming. 4. Mr. Tommy McConnell . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained a M.A. from the University of Virginia . . . Teaches math and chemistry . . . Hobbies include photography and reading.



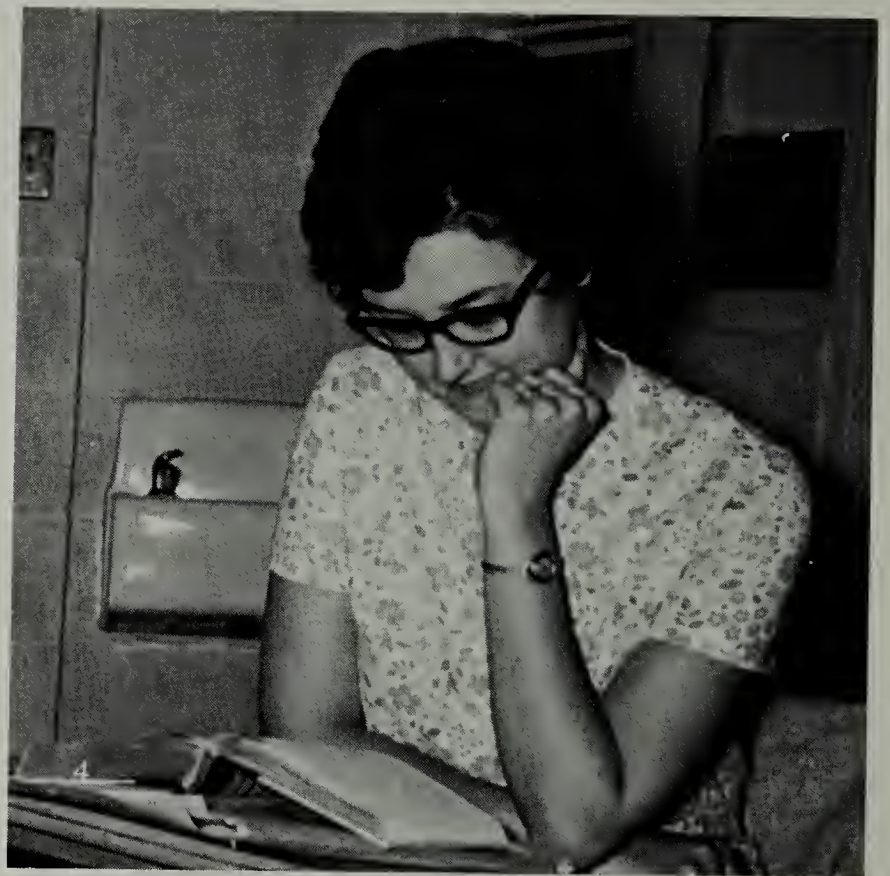




## agriculture to chemistry . . . faculty

Mr. Jerry Mills . . . Born, North Carolina . . . obtained a B.S. from Appalachian State . . . Teaches physical education and health . . . Also coaches eighth grade football, wrestling, and baseball . . . Hobbies include all types of sports. 6. Dr. Sylvia Castellanos . . . Born, Cuba . . . Attended the University of Havana where she obtained her doctorate . . . Teaches Spanish . . . Hobbies include water skiing and sewing. 7. Mr. Darius Oliver . . . Born, Virginia . . . obtained his M.Ed. from Virginia Polytechnic Institute . . . Teaches agriculture and is a sponsor of the Future Farmers of America . . . Hobbies include furniture making and art work.





1. Mrs. Opal Rison . . . Born Virginia . . . Previous occupations include county clerk of schools, and teaching business courses . . . is secretary to the Dean of Students . . . Hobbies include sewing and gardening. 2. Mrs. Flossie Mae Hicks . . . Born North Carolina . . . Previous occupations were store detective, police woman, and color technician . . . Hobbies include working with children and swimming. 3. Mr. Casto Ramsey . . . Born Ohio . . . Attended West Virginia University where he obtained his masters degree . . . Teaches driver's training and physical education . . . Also coaches golf and is athletic director . . . Hobbies include sports and movies. 4. Mrs. Ada Elizabeth Mills . . . Born North Carolina . . . Attended Lenoir-Rhyne . . . Presently working on a B. S. . . . Hobbies include sewing and reading. 5. Mrs. Dorothy Leonard . . . Born Virginia . . . is an aide to the Librarian . . . Hobbies include horseback riding.







## big decisions . . .

### school board

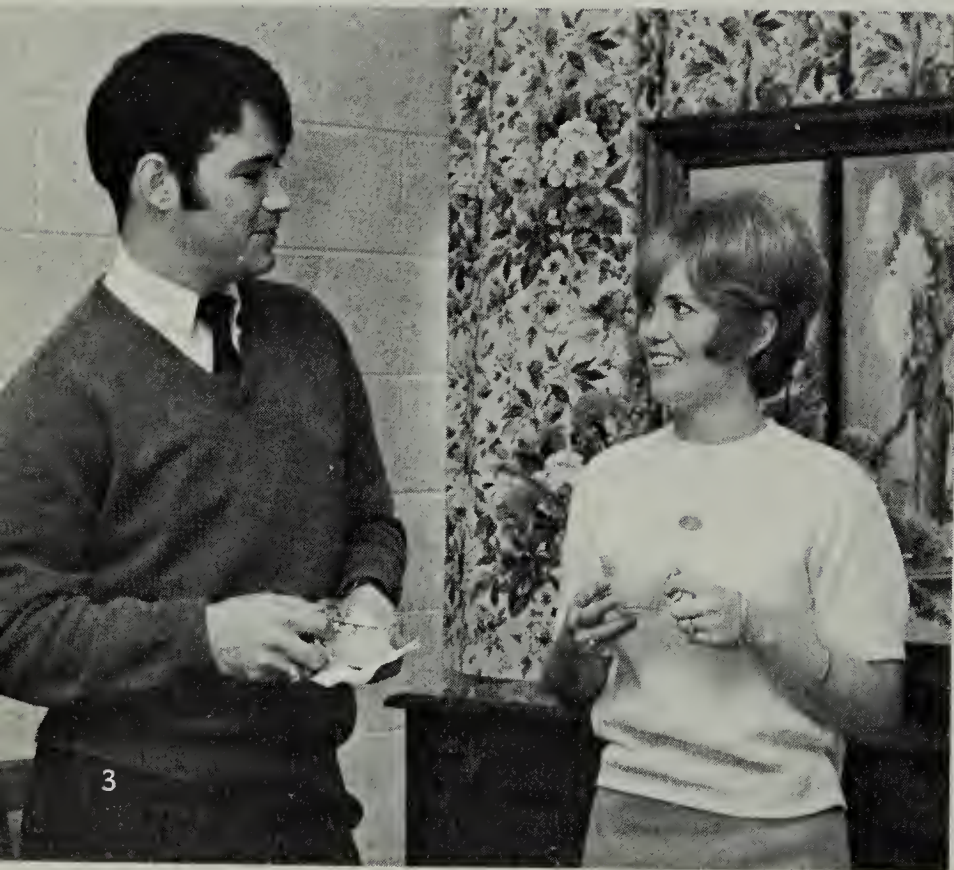
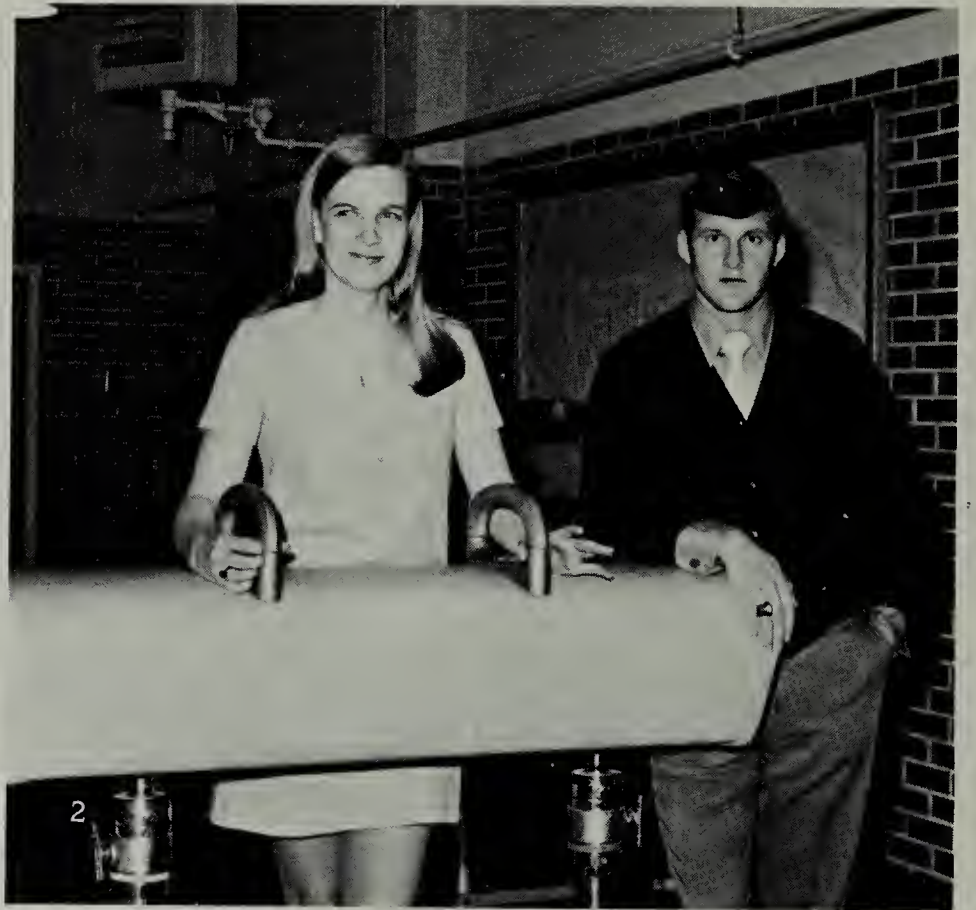
6. The 1969-70 Joint Committee of Control is composed of representatives of the Central School Board and the Washington County School Board. They are: SEATED: Dr. E. B. Stanley, Dr. J. S. Shaffer, Miss May Jo Craig. STANDING: Mr. Robert Johnson, Mr. John Copenhaver, Mr. Wirt Foster, Mr. W. M. Howard, Mr. James Lee.

### superintendent of schools

7. Dr. E. B. Stanley serves as Superintendent of Schools.







## practice makes perfect . . .

### student teachers

As part of the requirements at Emory and Henry College to become a teacher eight student teachers practiced at A.H.S. They are: 1. Debbie Brewster, 2. Ruth Young, Rufus Shuil, 3. Pat Smith, Nancy Daubert, 4. David Sheffield, 5. Shirley Forbes, Jim Wagner.





bus drivers: Joe Hagy, Glen Weller, Charles Miller, Lewis Harris, Cecil Webb, Jack Thomas.



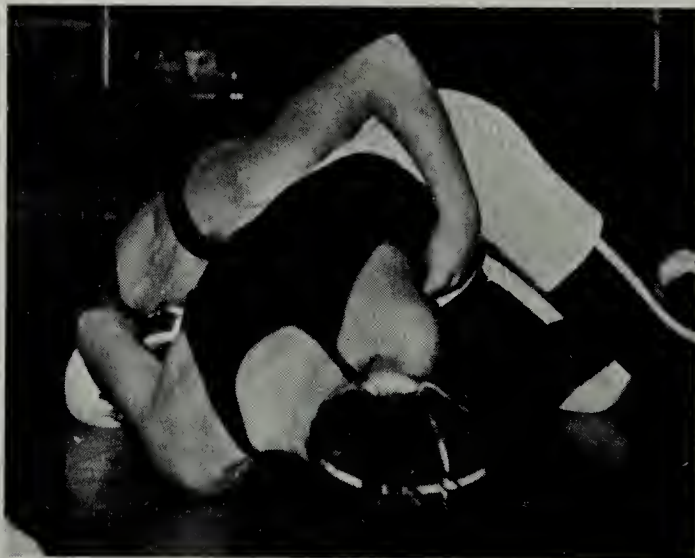
cafeteria staff: Margaret Price, Frances Fields, Juanite Santillo, Eula Martin, Dorsie Mitchell, Eula Garrett.



custodians: Oscar Fields, Robert L. Morris, J. D. Crenshaw.



a time for competing . . .





## spirit

Sports . . . Football . . . "breakdown"  
. . . "touchdown" . . . Basketball . . .  
"score" . . . County Champs -- varsity,  
junior varsity, and eighth grade . . .  
Cheerleaders . . . boost spirit . . .  
Wrestling . . . district champs . . .  
Tommy Blevins -- State Champ . . .  
Golf . . . new coach . . . Track . . .  
hurdles . . . pole vault . . . Baseball  
. . . "strike" . . . a time for competing  
-- a time for living . . .



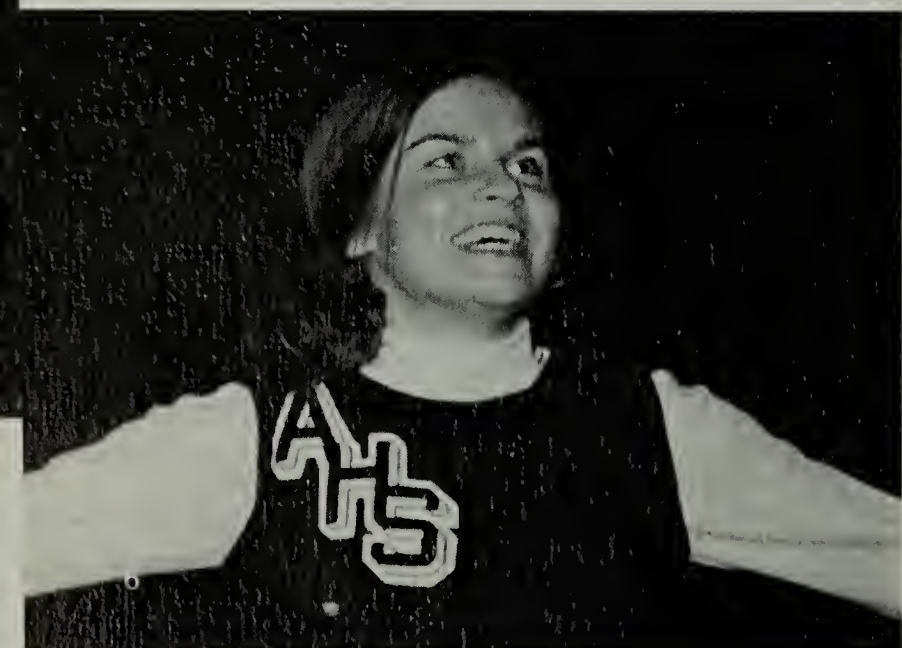
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# look out! . . . here we come . . .

cheerleaders

Camp at Ferrum . . . sore aching muscles  
. . . another blue ribbon! . . . sixth period  
-- practice . . . sweat shirt sales . . . re-  
freshments after practices . . . Pep Rallies  
-- Pom Pom routines . . . progressive dinner  
. . . decorating locker rooms . . . gener-  
ating spirit for the "Mighty Falcons!" . . .



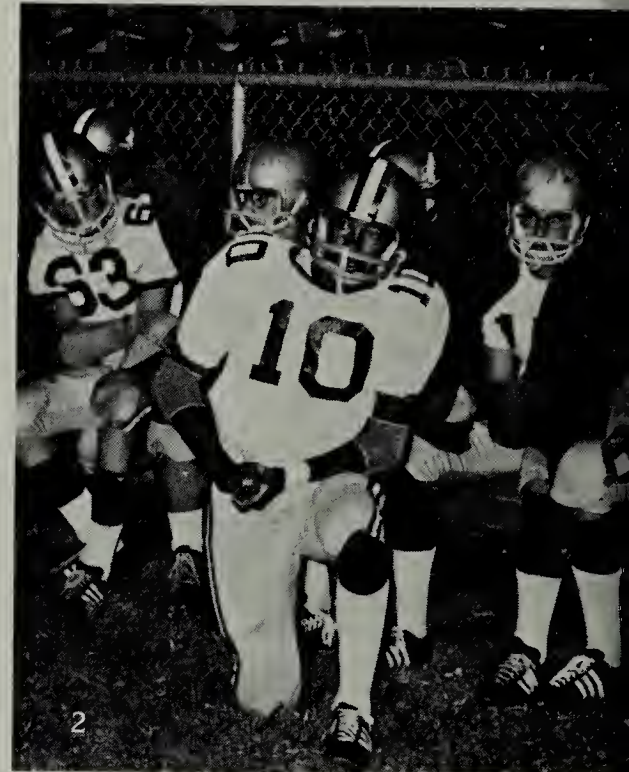




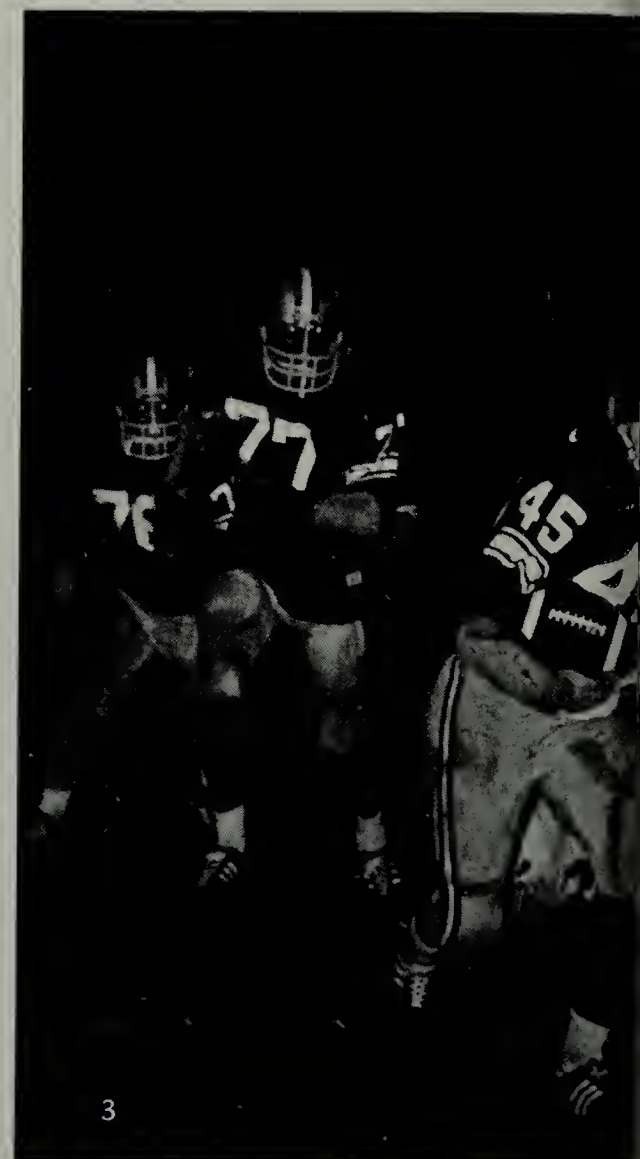
1. A.H.S. cheerleading squad poses during football warm-up. 2. Shelia Thompson, captain, leads fans in the B-E-A-T cheer. 3. Miss Wallace (Wally?) is proud -- being the varsity cheerleaders' sponsor. 4. Esther White urges the Falcons on to victory. 5. Debbie Brown looks on as the team progresses down the court. 6. Brenda Smith cheers as "Blue's" score rises. 7. Judy Blevins claps as A.H.S. scores. 8. Debbie Musick watches the work of the team. 9. Susan Pinkerton smiles as Abingdon makes another basket.



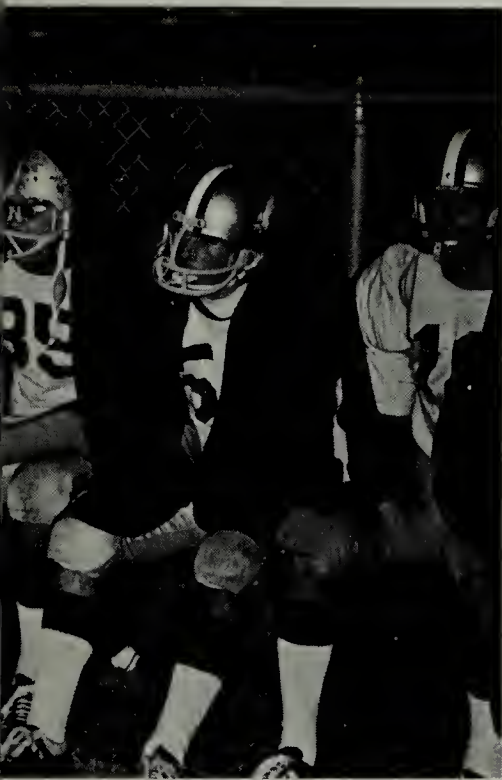




1. Mike Jones sees a little daylight around the end. 2. Falcon players observe their team's progress from the sidelines. 3. Falcon blockers go into action as Jimmy Anderson heads down the field. 4. Tommy Fugate speeds down the field for a Falcon gain.

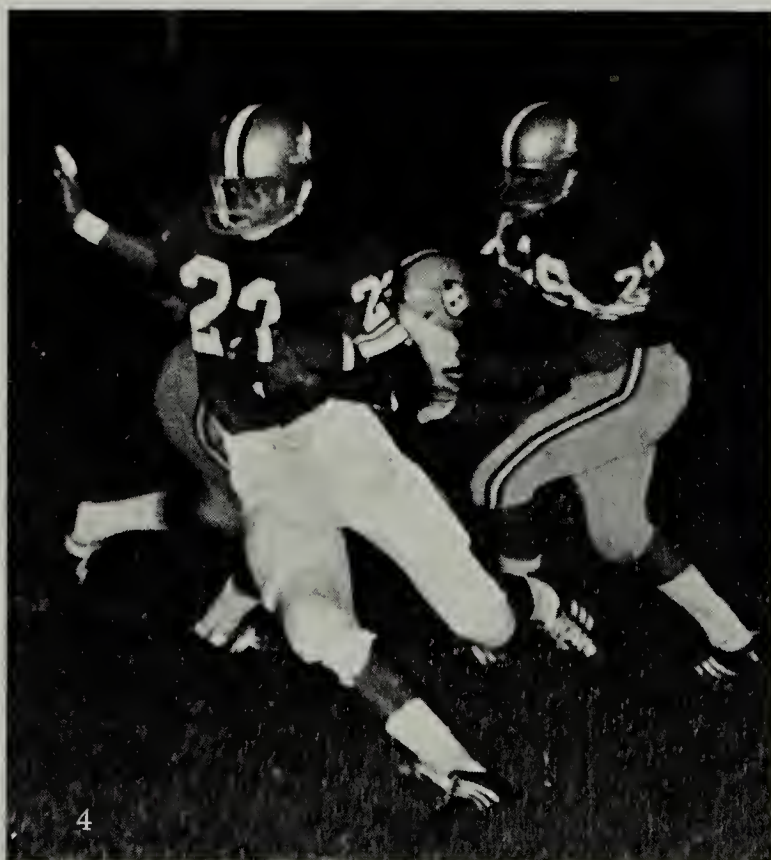






## go-o-o blue . . . football

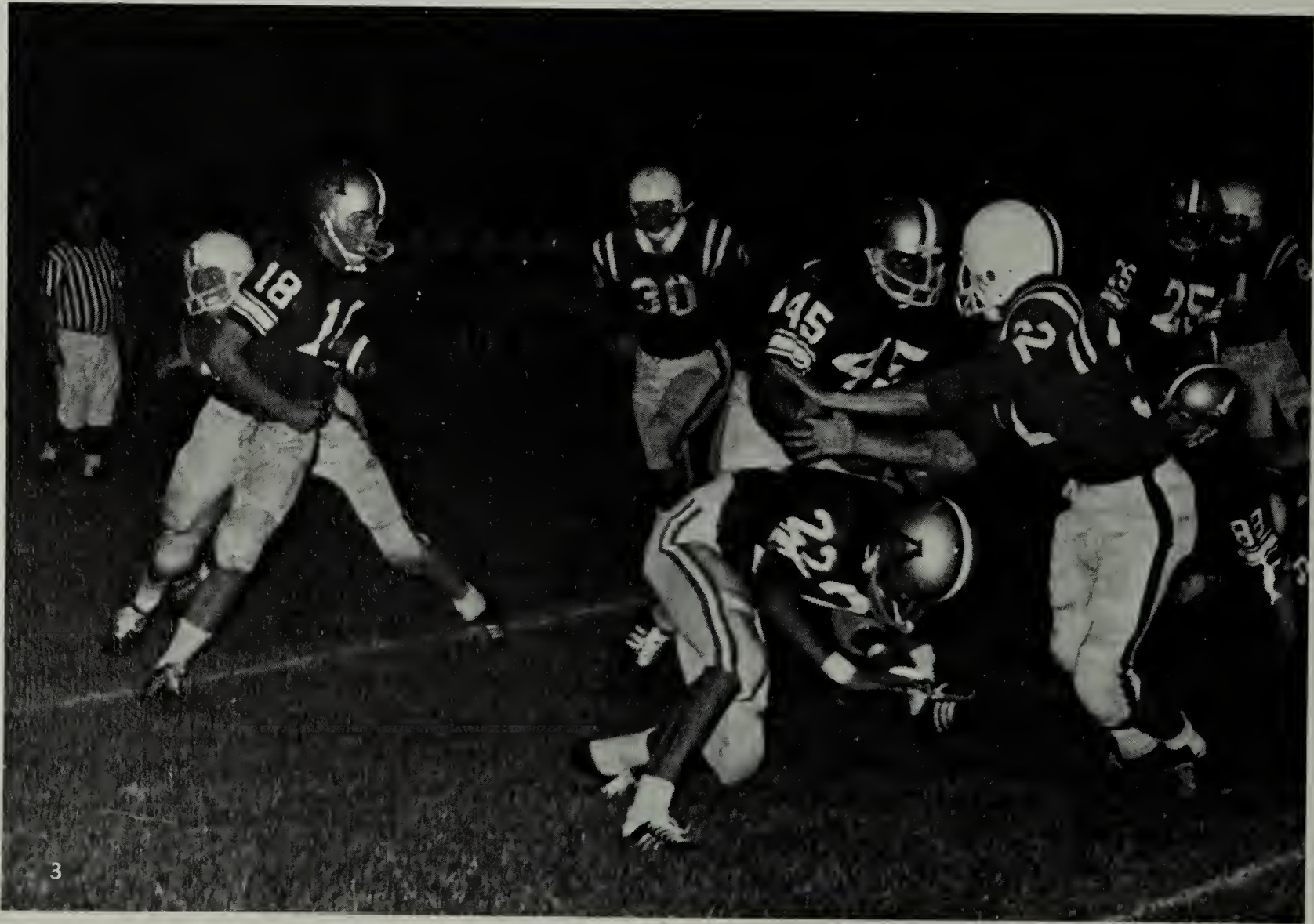
New season . . . New head coach -- Coach Gary Stacy . . . New coaching staff . . . Summer practices in early morning and late afternoon . . . Mickey Bradley breaks his arm . . . "Run laps, boys -- now!" . . . "It sure does get hot in August" . . . 1969 season opens . . . Victory at Honaker -- even in the rain . . . Spirit . . . O.K. boys -- Breakdown! . . . Fight . . . Billy Blackwell breaks his arm . . . that's two in one season . . . Dan Mathews named to all Southwest Virginia team . . .



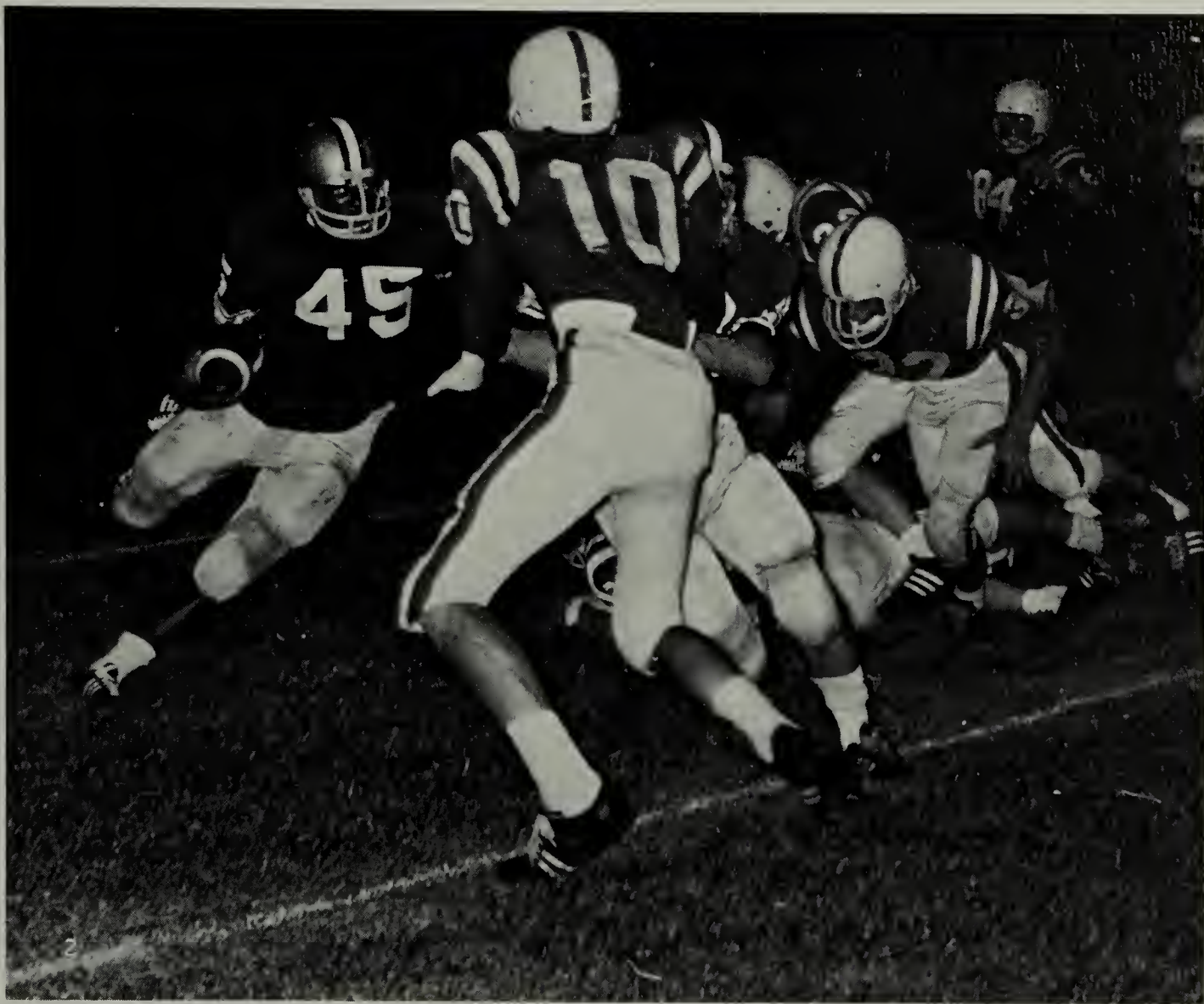


# 1969 football scoreboard . . .

a.h.s.	opponent
8	honaker . . . . .0
22	fort chiswell . . . . .6
28	lebanon . . . . .12
14	virginia high . . . . .21
0	john battle . . . . .31
8	patrick henry . . . . .36
6	saltville . . . . .16
8	chilhowie . . . . .12
0	rich valley . . . . .8
8	marion . . . . .20





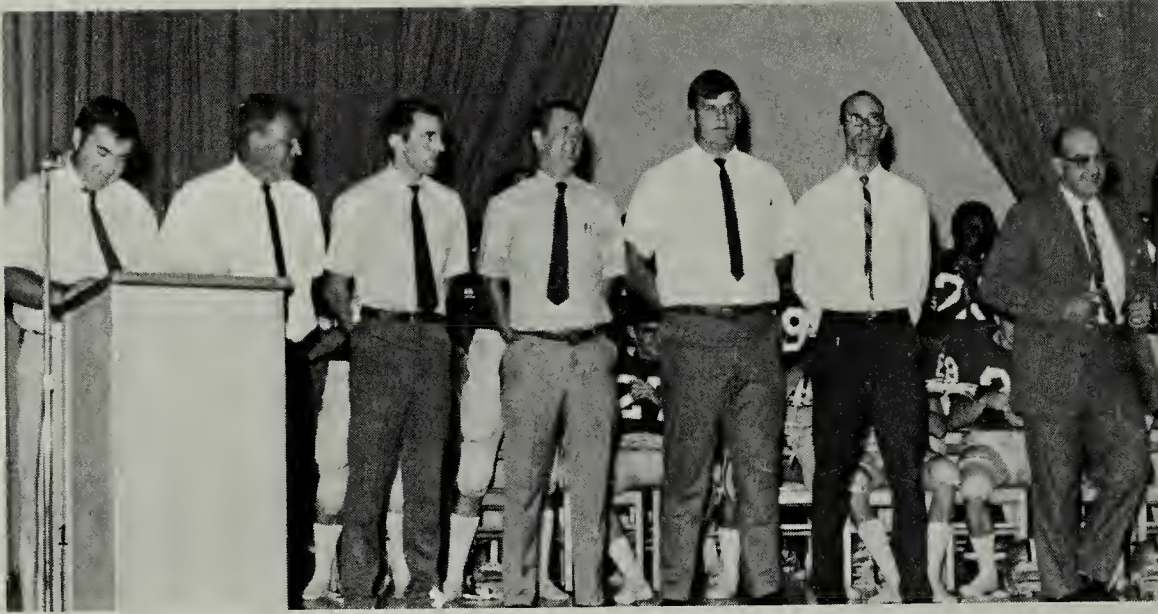


1. Coach Link gives instructions to Mickey Bradley and Billy Richards. 2. "Scabbo" Anderson hustles for additional yardage. 3. Dan Mathews runs down the field for a touchdown. 4. Dan Mathews passes as Frank Jefferson blocks. 5. Gary McCormick scrambles for another first down for the "flying" Falcons.



## AHS coaches

1. The 1969 football coaching staff lines up at a pep rally. From left to right are Gary Stacy, Bill Link, Don Pruitt, Gail Rutledge, Joel Carroll, Jerry Mills, Paul Santillo. 2. Head Coach Gary Stacy leads the student body in go-o-o, Blue, during a spirit-filled pep rally.



FIRST ROW: Co-captains T. Blevins, D. Mathews, SECOND ROW: G. McCormick, J. Anderson, B. King, G. Sales, T. Fugate, J. Shaffer, B. Arden, F. Carmack, M. Jones, THIRD ROW: R. Copeland, P. Stevens, R. Kennedy, C. Brown, L. Ellis, K. Swan, J. Clark, L. Seamon, D. Price, FOURTH ROW: Coaches G. Stacy, D.

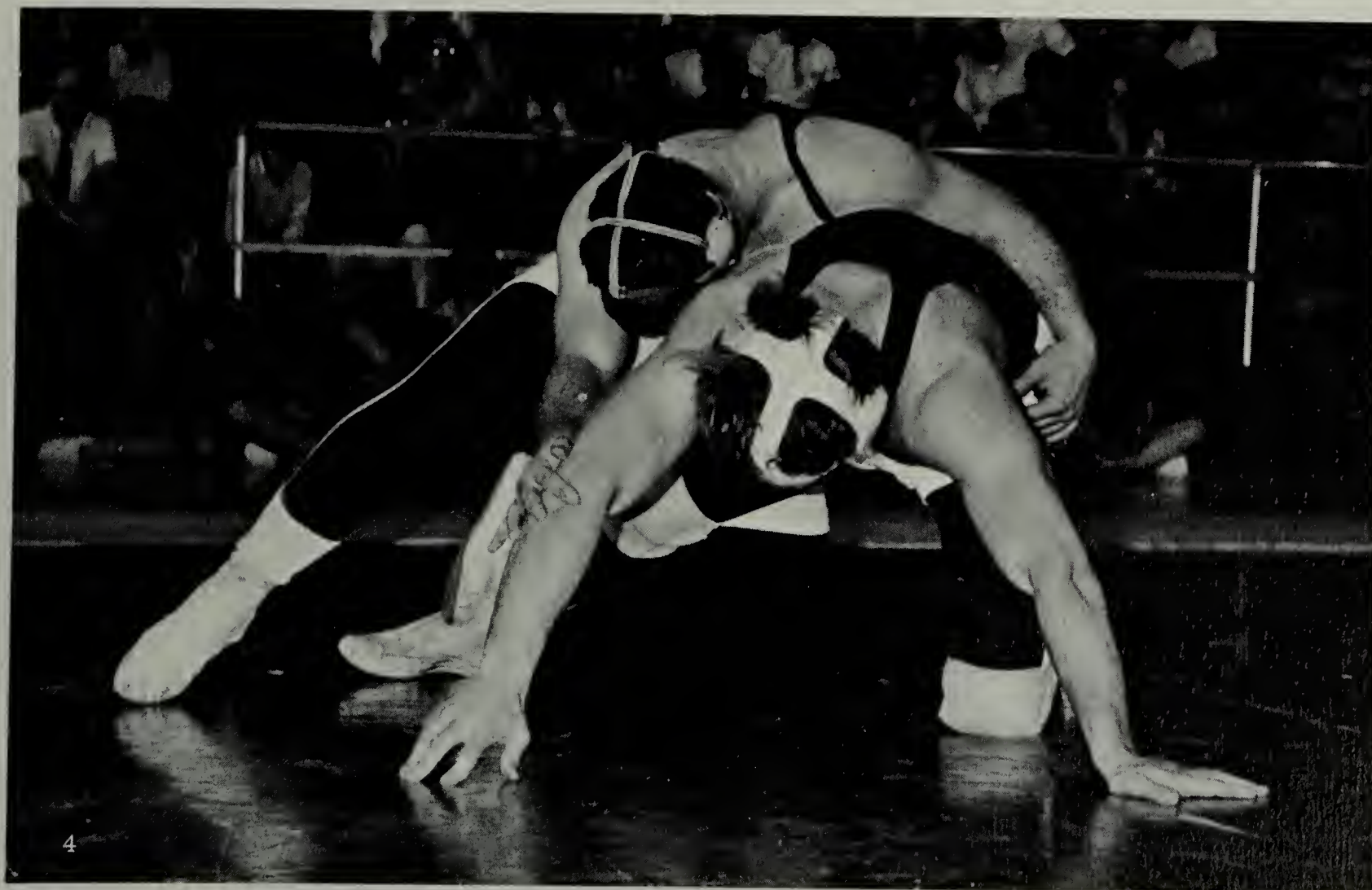
Pruitt, and B. Link, L. Bellemy, S. Nelson, B. Richards, M. Bradley, H. Weddle, D. Weddle, D. Durnovich, L. Ornduff, B. Hefner, B. Blackwell, Coaches J. Carroll, J. Mills, and P. Santillo, FIFTH ROW: M. Terry, A. Combs, F. Jefferson, M. Elliott, M. Davidson, M. Ohlson, R. Humphreys, M. Elliott, E. Howard.



# champions . . .

## wrestling

New coach . . . Mr. Mills . . . practice . . . Billy Blackwell breaks his arm again . . . We won the district! . . . first places -- Wayne Robinette, Terry Whitten, Harold Weddle, Darrell Weddle, Tommy Blevins . . . second places -- Ray Hefner, Andrew Hounshell, Gilmer Mann, Bobby Hefner, Johnny Lowe, Billy Arden . . . Fourth place -- David Eskridge . . . on to the regionals . . . we got second! . . . first places -- Terry Whitten, Harold Weddle, Tommy Blevins . . . second -- Ray Hefner, Gilmer Mann, Bobby Hefner, Darrell Weddle . . . third -- Wayne Robinette, Andrew Hounshell . . . fourth -- Johnny Lowe . . . on to state . . . got home at 4:30 a.m. . . . hard work . . . determination . . . success . . .



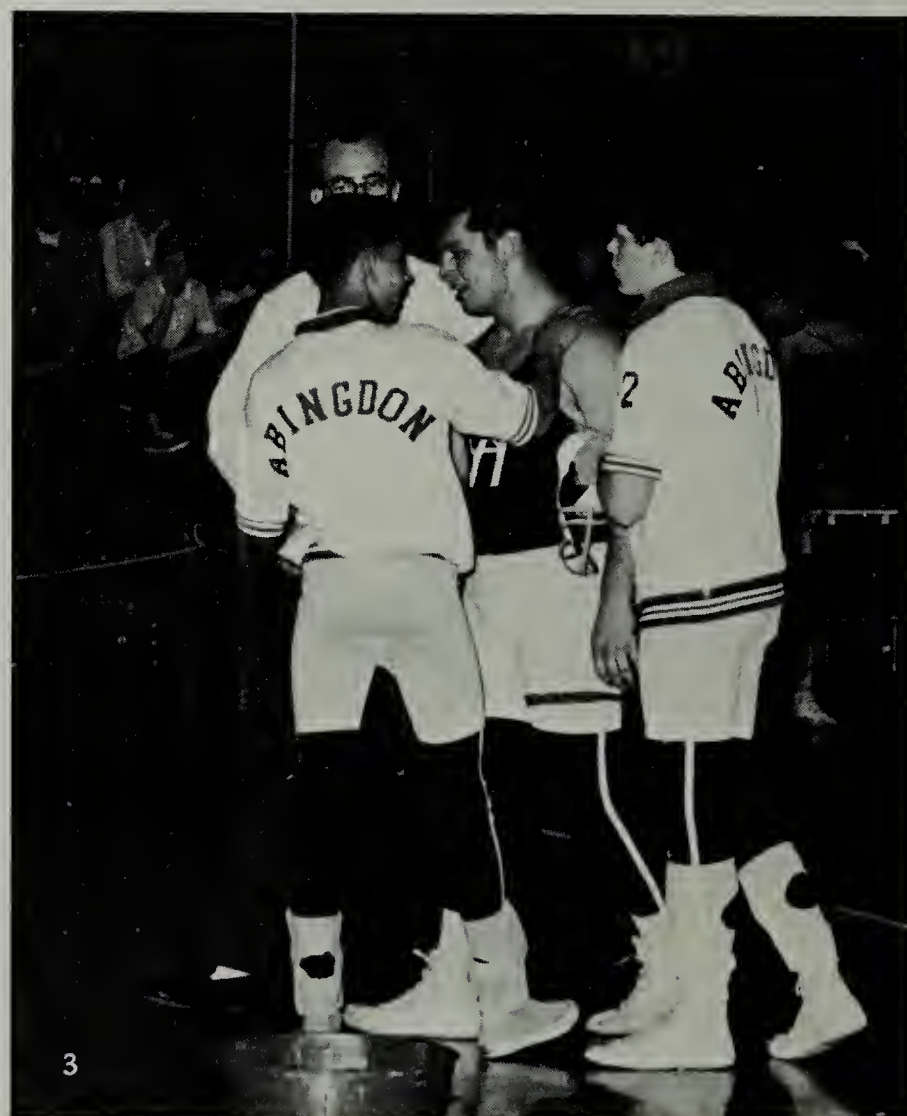
3. Bobby Hefner outmaneuvers his opponent. 4. Tommy Blevins wrestles in a match against John Battle.





## 1970 wrestling scoreboard . . .

a.h.s.	opponent	
29	patrick henry	20
29	pulaski	23
13	john battle	39
13	marion	37
41	saltville	13
48	chilhowie	10
13	john battle	32
51	saltville	2
44	chilhowie	10
24	pulaski	28







1. Coach Mills and the proud Falcon wrestlers admire their district champ trophy. 2. Terry Whitten receives his district champ trophy from a Patrick Henry coach. 3. Coach Mills, Terry Whitten, and Darrell Weddle congratulate Tommy Blevins who has just won first place in the district. 4. Darrell Weddle displays his skill in a match.



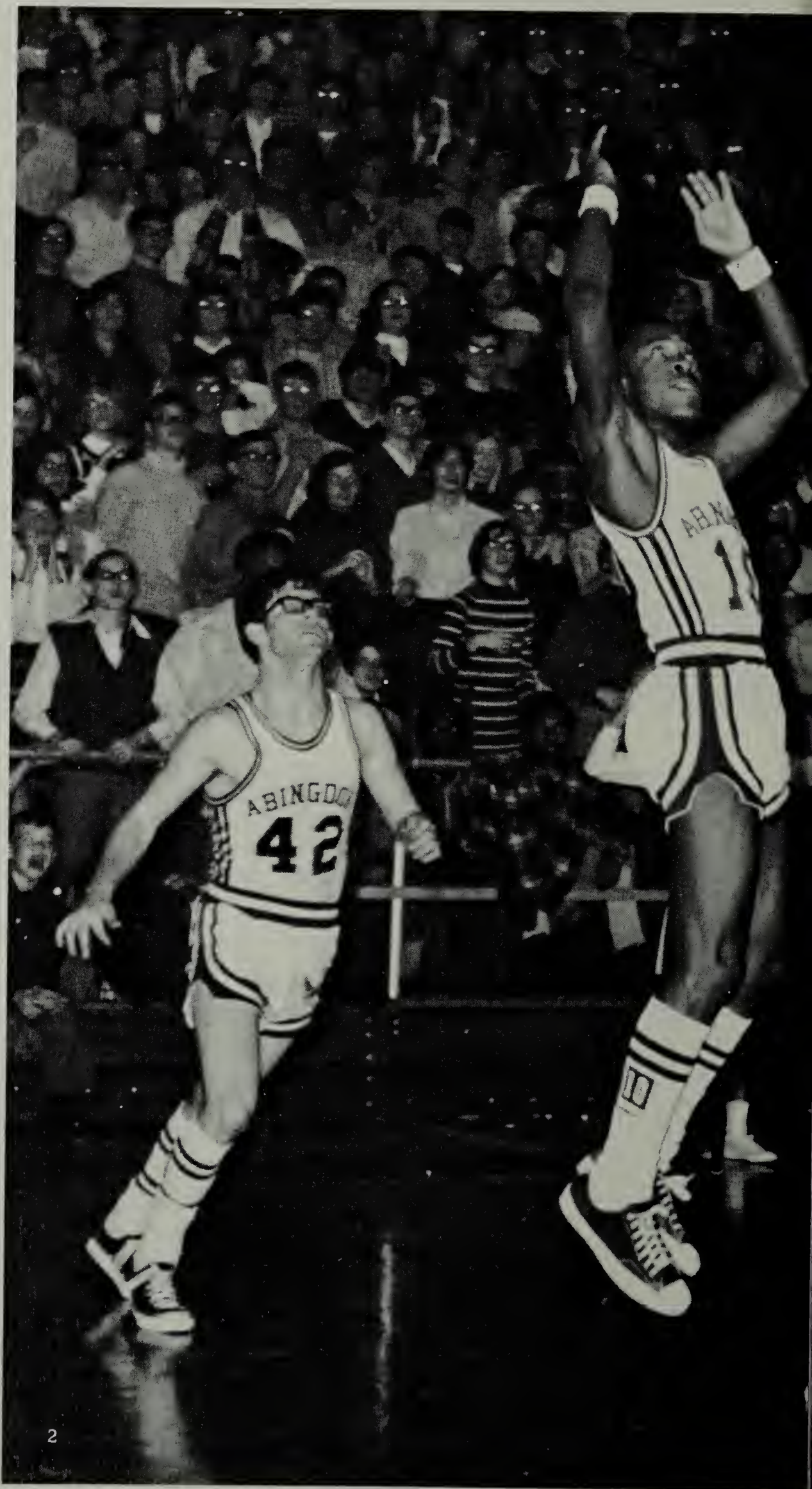
FRONT ROW: W. Robinette, T. Whitten, R. Hefner, A. Hounshell, G. Mann, H. Weddle.  
SECOND ROW: Manager J. Ross, B. Hefner,

D. Weddle, J. Lowe, D. Eskridge, T. Blevins, B. Arden, Coach J. Mills.

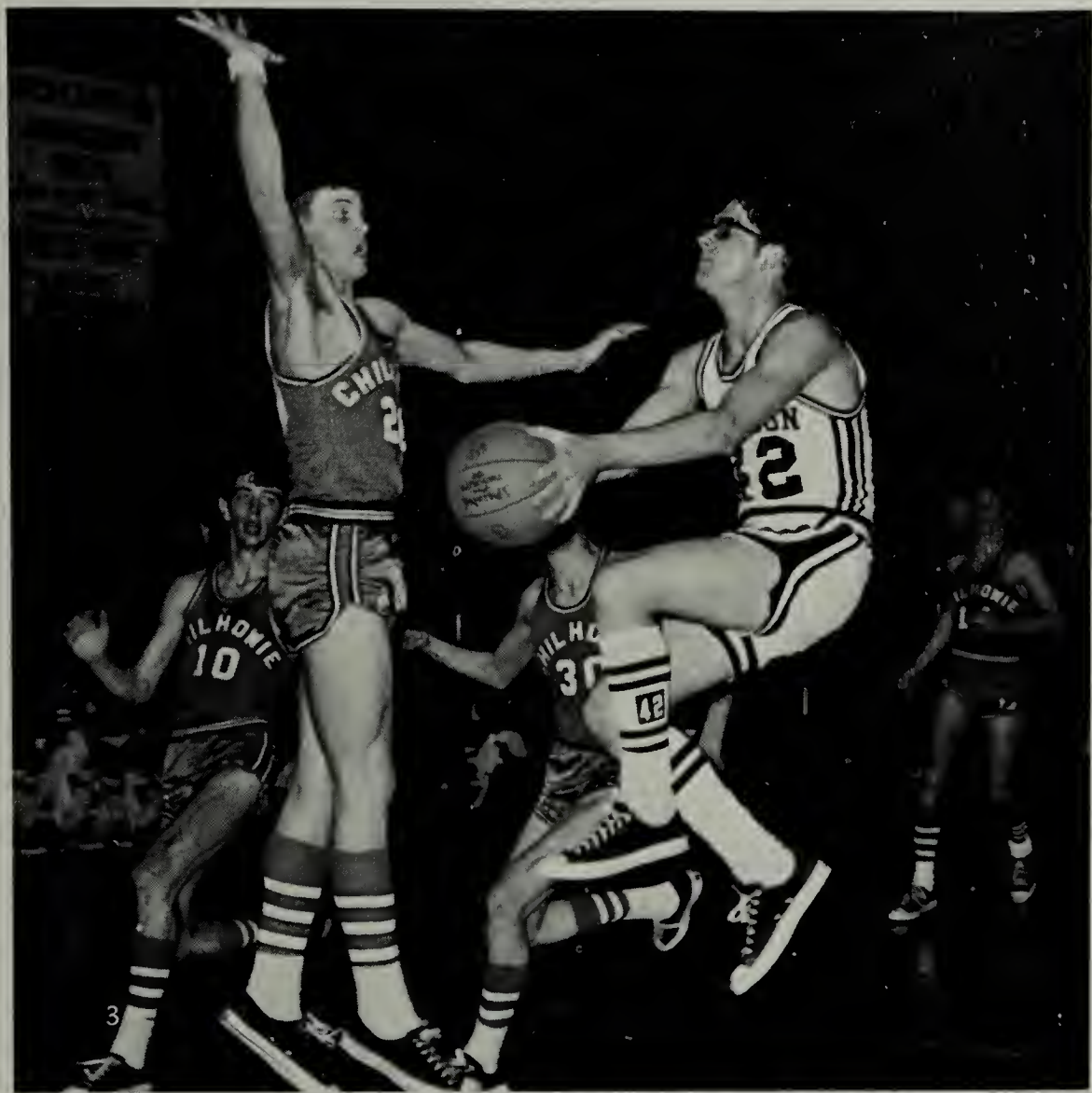


## score! . . . basketball

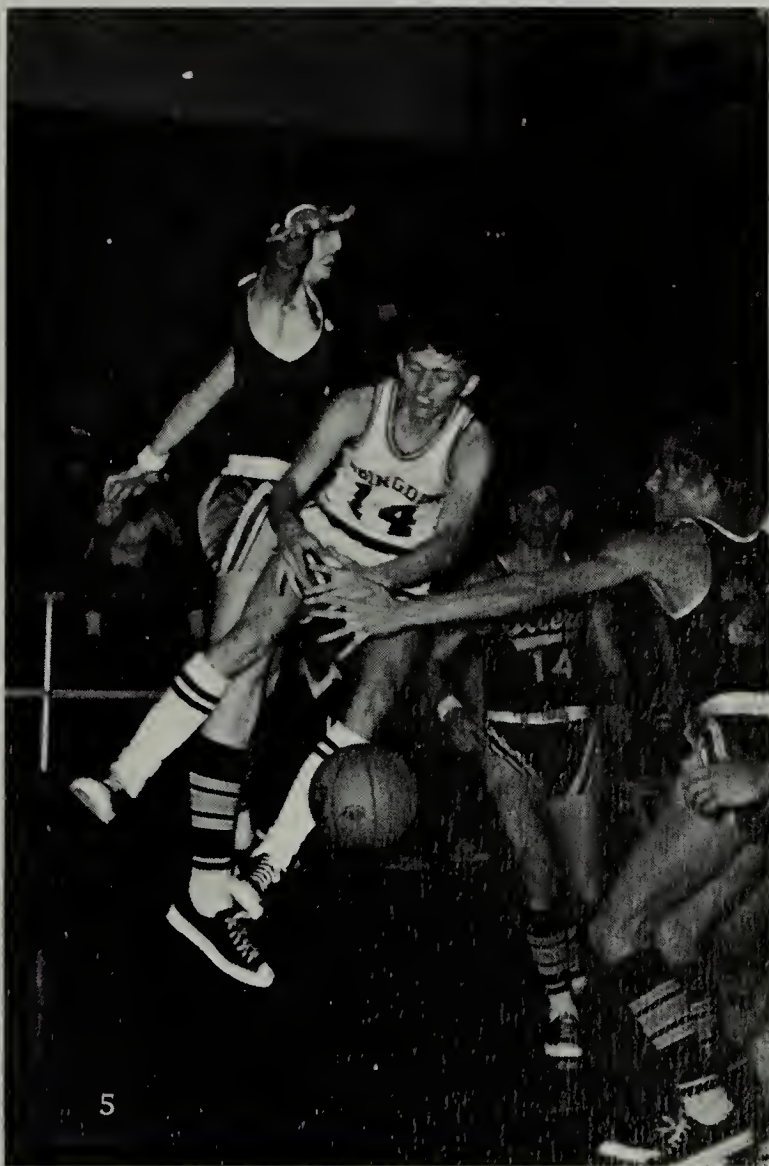
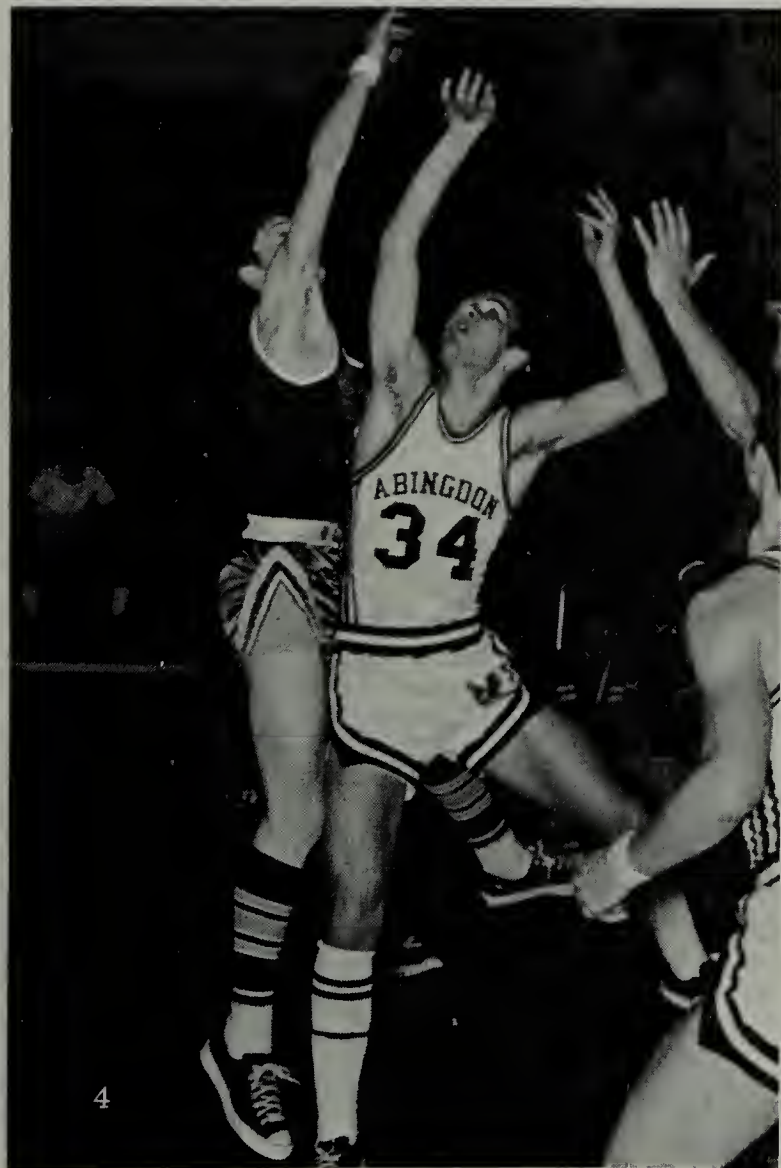
Coach Bishop . . . Coach  
Pruitt . . . Coach Rutledge  
. . . practice after school --  
to music? . . . running laps  
(for missed foul shots) . . .  
Falcons are ready! . . . 1969-  
70 season opens . . . "Blue's  
on the move!" . . . "We're  
gonna win tonight" . . .







1. Jim Barker tries for a basket at our first home game of the season. 2. Gus Sales seems confident with a well aimed shot. 3. Randy Copeland rides Falcon power as he pumps in two points. 4. Dan Mathews fights for the rebound. 5. Drew Wright fights off a "herd of Steers".

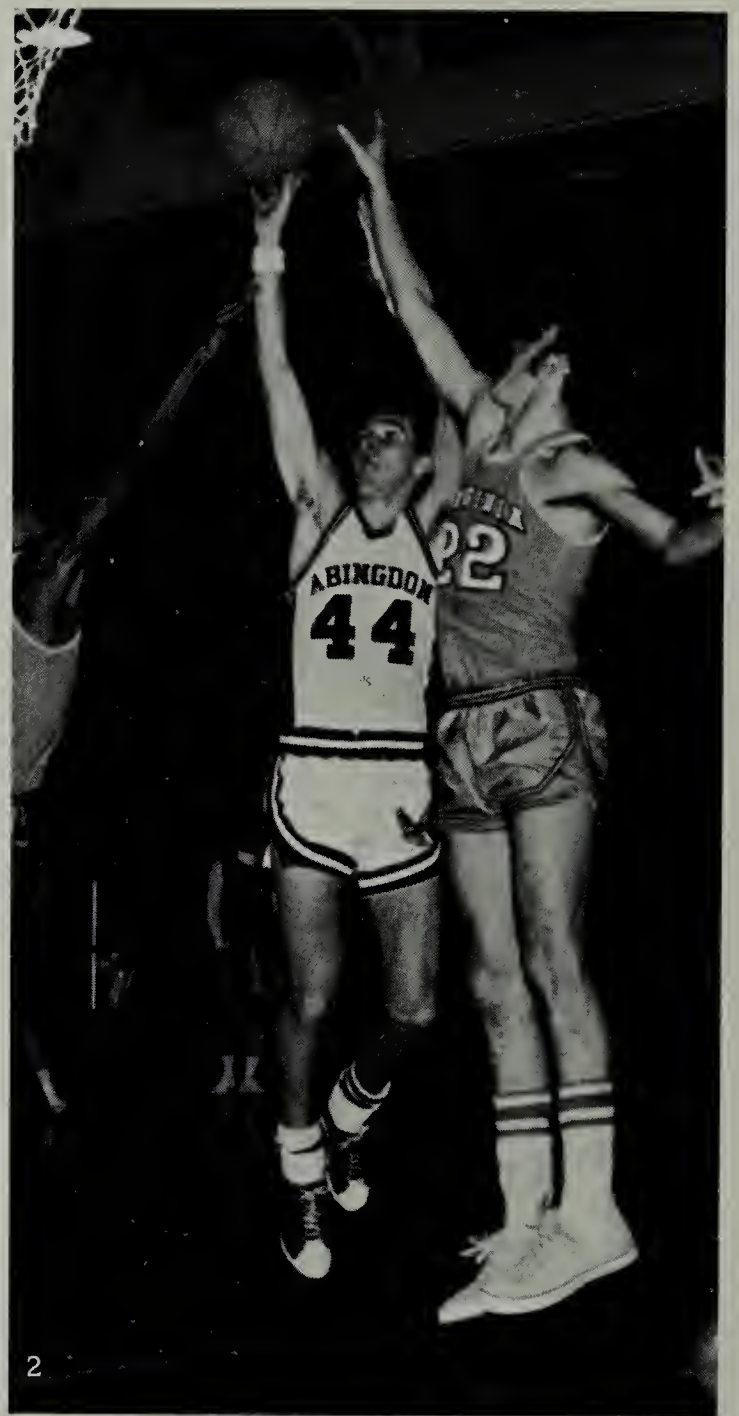
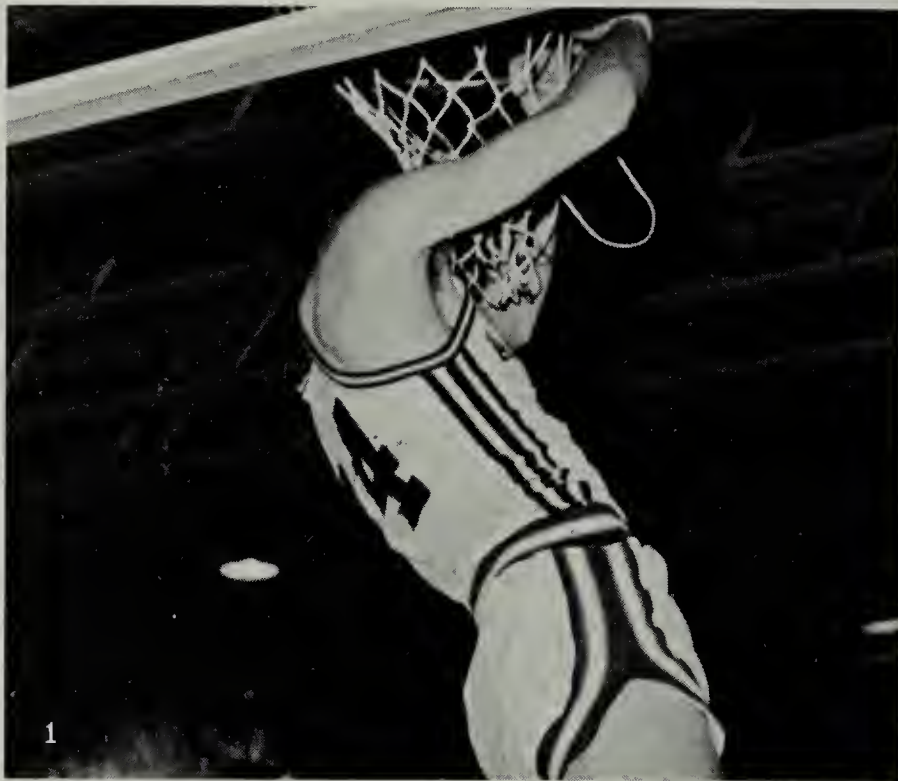




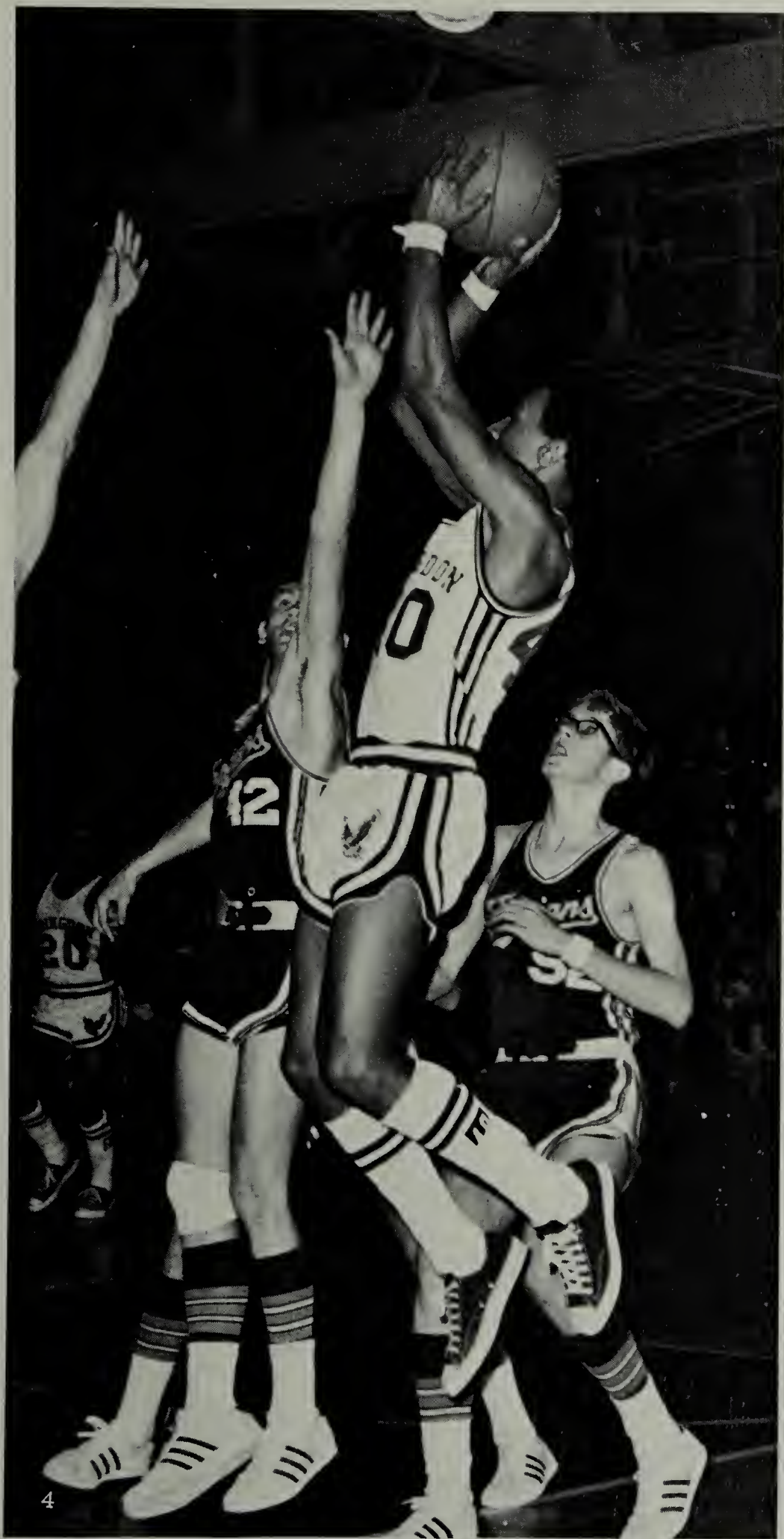
# and they did score . . .

## basketball

and they became champions . . . Washington County Tournament Champions . . . Scores: A.H.S. -- 70 . . . Battle -- 68 . . . Abingdon -- 52 . . . Patrick Henry -- 51 . . . A well fought victory . . . Hard Work . . . Skill . . . District Tournament . . . Practice . . . Night of the game . . . A.H.S. vs. Saltville . . . defeat . . . district second runners-up . . . a WINNING TEAM! . . .







1. Tim Spencer takes down the net after the Falcon win at the Washington County Tournament. 2. Tim Spencer jumps for the ball in a game with the Virginia High Bearcats. 3. The Falcon team huddles before the opening of a game. 4. Jack Clark makes a shot in a game against John S. Battle. 5. Tommy Fugate fakes a Trojan.

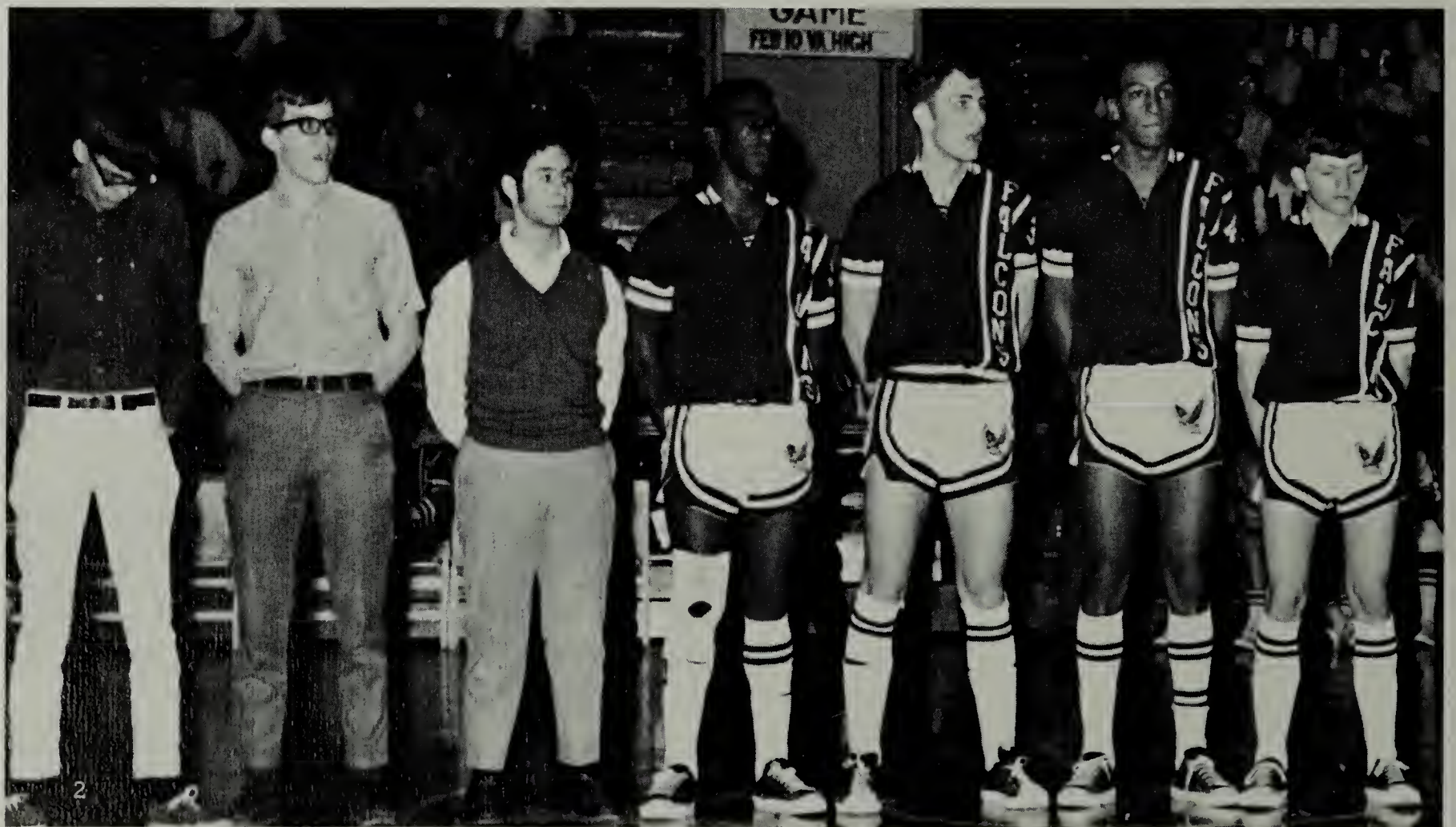




# 1969-70 basketball scoreboard . . .

a.h.s.	varsity	opponent
*56**	east	*77**
71/73	holston	40/39
60/54	chilhowie	68/60
58	marion	61
69/82	patrick henry	58/56
82/81	lebanon	57/77
73/57	saltville	71/52
86/98	rich valley	66/39
79/78	john battle	67/77
59/70	virginia high	54/82

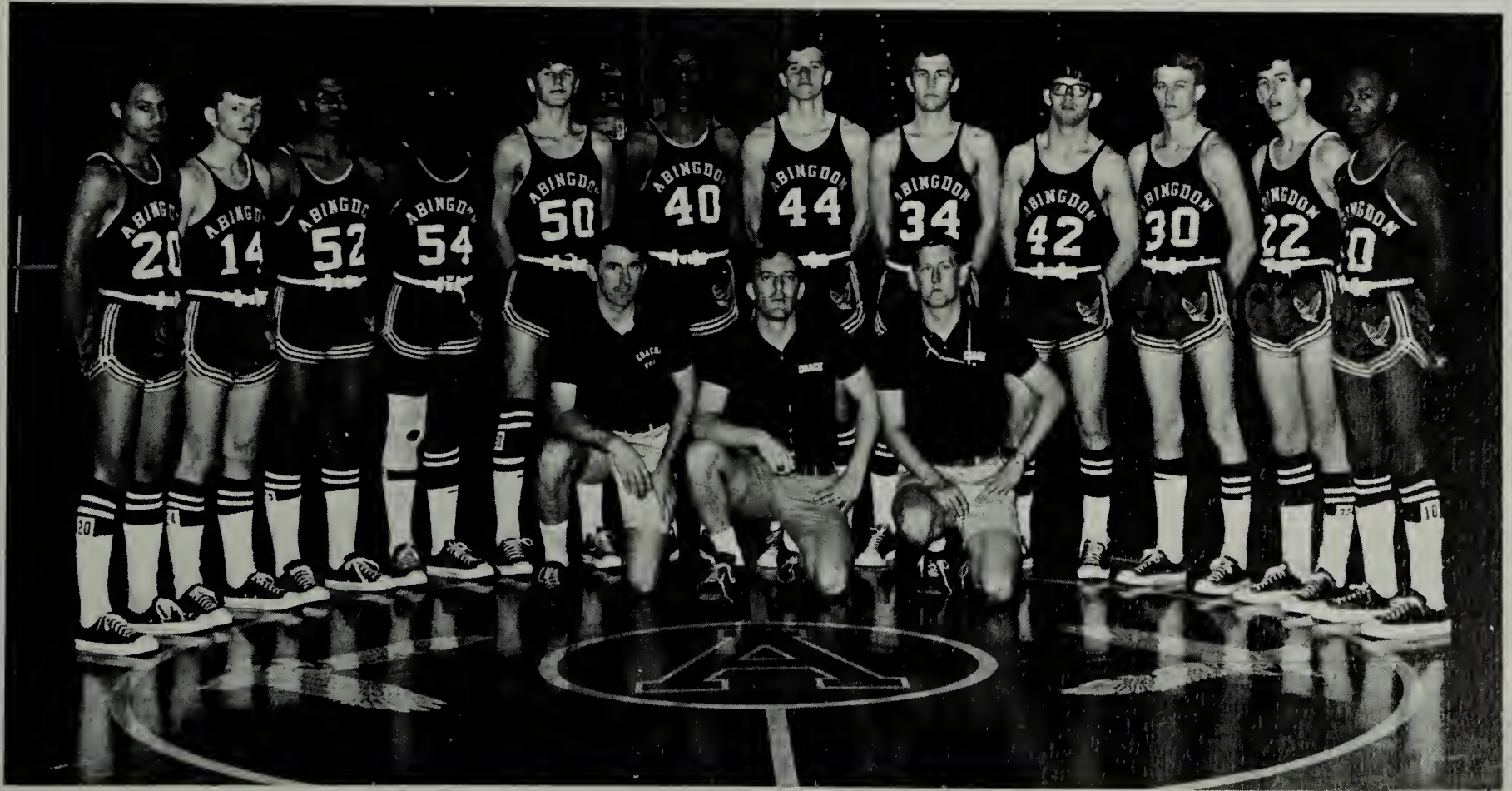
\*first game    \*\*second game  
 county tournament champs  
 district second runners-up







1. The team excitedly looks at the trophy after winning the county championship. 2. Senior managers and players are introduced before the last home game. They are: Randy Kelly, John Legard, Ken Shuman, Kermit Swan, Dan Mathews, Jack Clark, and Drew Wright. 2. Coach Bishop gets a free ride to the dressing room after the county tournament victory. 4. Head coach: Jerry Bishop, Assistant coaches: Gail Rutledge and Don Pruitt.



KNEELING: Coaches Pruitt, Bishop, and Rutledge.  
STANDING: T. Fugate, D. Wright, J. Anderson, K.

Swan, C. Brown, J. Clark, T. Spencer, D. Mathews,  
R. Copeland, P. Stevens, L. Seamon, G. Sales.



# five records broken . .

## track

practice after school . . . cold afternoons  
. . . Abingdon relays -- victory over "The  
Big Five" . . . Washington County Champs  
. . . Southern Invitational at Knoxville . . .  
the bus broke down only twice? . . . District  
Six champs . . . Records broken -- Tommy  
Fugate 100-yard dash in 22.9; Preston Ste-  
vens, 440 in 15.6; Mac Patterson high hur-  
dles in 15.7 and low hurdles in 20.7; Bill  
Carmack, Ken Brown, Mac Patterson and  
Preston Stevens, mile relay in 3:32.7 . . .  
state meet at Charlottesville . . . A.H.S.  
fourth in state -- places made by Tommy  
Fugate, Mac Patterson, and Preston Stevens  
. . . flying high for A.H.S. . . .







1. Falcon runners gather strength for the gun lap. 2. Preston Stevens demonstrates a new field event, the triple jump. 3. Bobby Caudell clears the bar in the pole vaulting event. 4. Tommy Fugate gets another first for the 880 relay team. 5. Tommy Blevins wins first place in the discus.



# 1970 track scoreboard . . .

abingdon vs patrick henry, marion, holston  
104 -- 78 1/2 -- 59 1/2 -- 9

abingdon vs marion, rich valley, saltville  
76 -- 81 1/2 -- 47 1/2 -- 20

abingdon vs john battle, central, east, tennessee high

81 1/2 -- 56 1/2 -- 47 -- 46 -- 38

abingdon vs dobyns-bennett

37 -- 109

## abingdon relays

abingdon vs john battle, patrick henry, tennessee high, chilhowie, wise, holston

84 -- 50 -- 43 -- 35 -- 33 1/2 -- 21 -- 2

abingdon vs patrick henry

101 -- 35

## washington county meet

abingdon vs john battle, patrick henry, holston

100 -- 72 -- 66 -- 5

## district 6 meet

abingdon vs rich valley, patrick henry, chilhowie, holston, saltville

97 -- 49 -- 49 -- 46 -- 11 -- 4







1. Bob King relaxes after his race. 2. Gary McCormick breaks the string for a Falcon win. 3. Coaches Pruitt, Rutledge, and Hortenstine display the District 6 first place trophy. 4. Donna Kiser alternate cheerleader boosts spirit at a track meet. 5. Mac Patterson demonstrates the form that helped him break many track records.



FRONT ROW: Coaches Hortenstine, Rutledge, Pruitt,  
SECOND ROW: T. Arnold, D. Yates, M. Lowe, D.  
Adams, R. Kolling, F. Carmack, G. McCormick, T.  
Fugate, M. Jones, J. Lowe, K. Swan, R. Ray, R.  
McCool, R. Hefner, T. Whitten, THIRD ROW: M.

Patterson, B. Laurie, M. Terry, B. King, M. Farris,  
J. Anderson, B. Carmack, K. Brown, J. Clark, M.  
Brillhart, M. Ohlson, B. Frier, B. Caudell, A. Brown,  
J. Matheson, P. Stevens, T. Blevins.



# 1970 j.v. track scoreboard . . .

a.h.s.	opponent
79 . . . . . holston . . . . .	29
91 . . . . . holston . . . . .	27
48 . . . . . grundy . . . . .	70
abingdon — 58	grundy — 74
holston — 15	





# spring is "fore" drivers and putters . . .

## golf

A.H.S. golfers . . . a new coach . . .  
 Coach Ramsey . . . spring rains . . . green  
 course . . . practice after school . . .  
 Who's got the card? -- Ricky has the card  
 . . . nothing like a round of golf to ease  
 tensions . . . the first match . . . held at  
 Chilhowie . . . a win for the Falcon golfers  
 . . . keep a stiff wrist . . . eyes on the ball  
 . . . follow through . . . practice . . . sand  
 traps . . . chip on the green . . . putt . . .  
 gain confidence with each swing . . . a good  
 season . . . 11-3 record . . . that's the  
 way to finish a season . . .



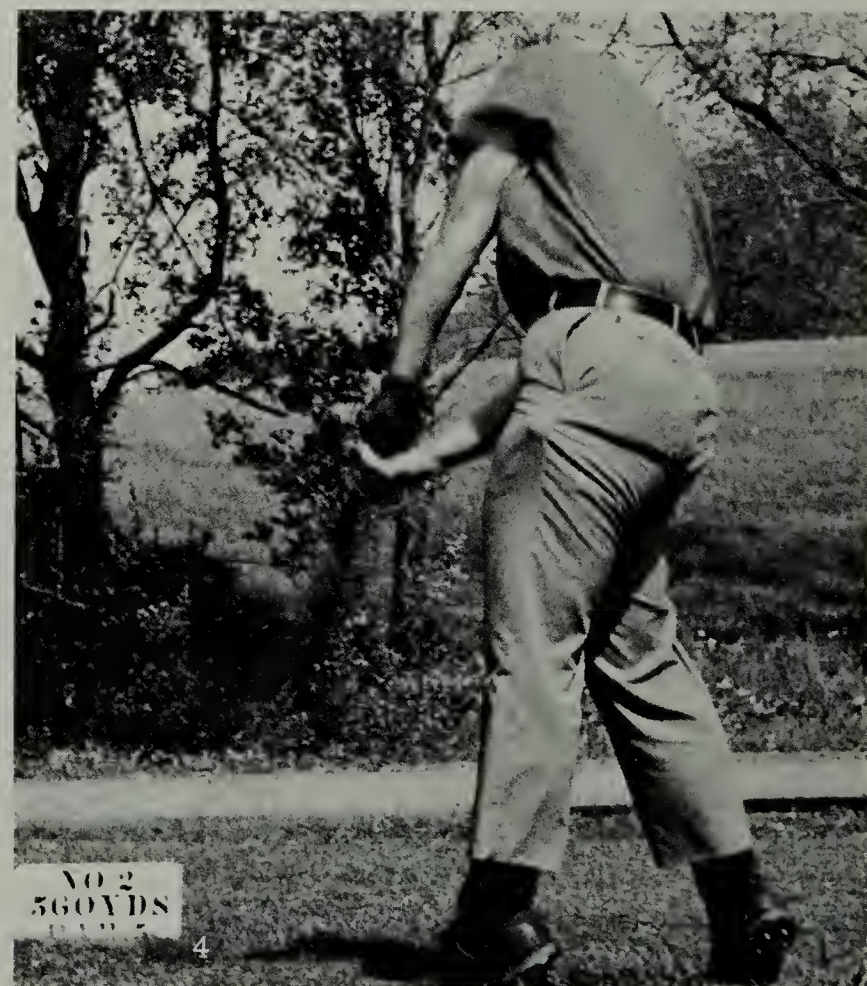
At Left: FRONT ROW: P. Neely, D. DeBose, M. Motley, J. Johnston, R. Short, T. Counts, E. Bowen. SECOND ROW: B. Schaffer, L. Harris, S. Carter, M. Seamon, A. Hounshell, B. Lowe, S. Robinette. THIRD ROW: R. McClure, P. Rasnick, T. Riddle, M. Matheson, D. James, B. Wright. FOURTH ROW: J. Stewart, M. Ross, L. Booth, R. Cole, J. Cornelius, Coach Hortenstine.

1. Jack Clark varsity track member sails through the air in the broad jump. 2. Mike Owens tees off during a golf match. 3. Coach Ramsey gives last minute instructions before Falcon golfers down Tennessee High Vikings.



# golf scoreboard . . .

*a.h.s.**		*opponent**
w w.....	chilhowie.....	l l
l w.....	tennessee high.....	w l
l .....	john battle .....	w
w .....	marion .....	l
w w .....	patrick henry .....	l l
w w .....	holston .....	l l
w l .....	virginia high .....	l w
w w .....	saltville .....	l l
*first match		**second match



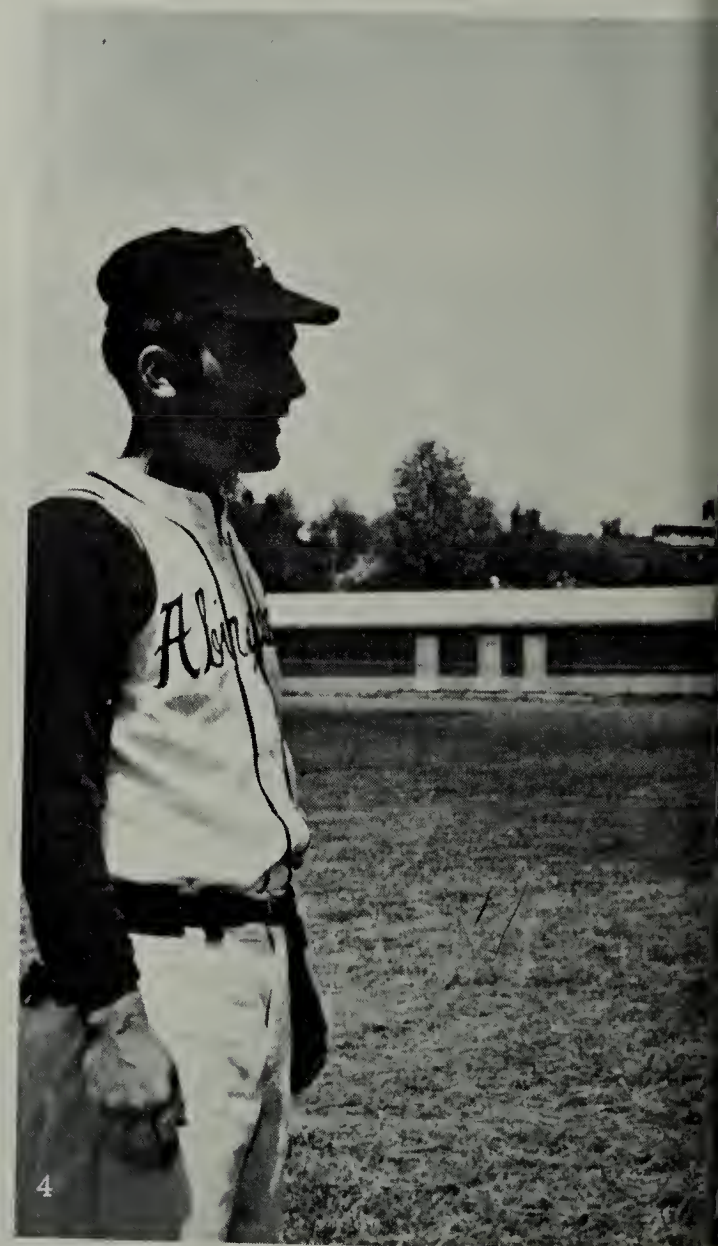




1. Coach Ramsey cannot conceal his identity even behind dark glasses. 2. Terry Holtsinger allows Lindy Seamon to putt in before he lines up. 3. Golf team: R. Richardson, C. Ramsey, D. Durnovich, M. Owens, T. Holtsinger. R. Copeland, K. Shuman, and L. Seamon are not pictured. 4. The "headless" golfer Ken Shuman drives. 5. David Durnovich putts on Number 1 green.





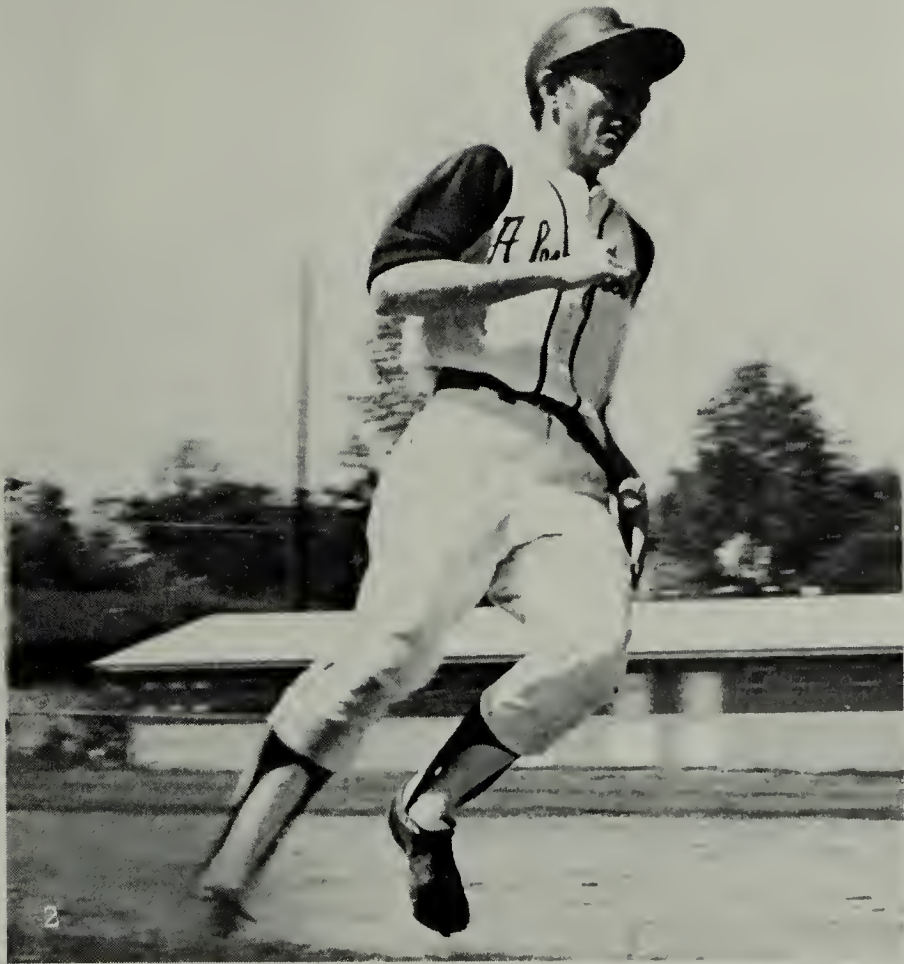


1. Chip Anderson speeds safely to third base. 2. Drew Wright tags third on his way to home. It's a homerun! 3. Jimmy Anderson carried a big stick to beat Rich Valley. 4. Coach Bishop and Coach Mills talk things over before the game.



# “slides” in . . .

## baseball



to roost in the hearts of Falcon players . . . takes a lot of practice to make a good team . . . practice, hitting, throwing, catching . . . all players must be quick . . . cuts and bruises from sliding to the base . . . dust, dust, dust . . . a game in the rain at Rich Valley . . . nothing like playing in a mud puddle . . . the whole school will be there for the game! . . . "Hit that ball, George!" . . . is Doug in the dugout or on the field? . . . warm-ups, Coach Bishop at the bat . . . ready for a grounder . . . Bobby Caudell and Jimmy Barker take turns at the mound . . . Did you say 16-5? . . . Barker has a sore arm . . . "Let's hear some chatter out there! . . . A good season for some great guys . . .



FRONT ROW: B. Williamson, R. Copeland, G. Sales, T. Fugate, D. Wright, J. Legard, B. Hagy, D. Call, G. Pope, J. Anderson, SECOND ROW:

Coach Bishop, C. Brown, J. Barker, J. Beverly, D. Mathews, B. King, C. Anderson, B. Caudell, R. Kelly, Coach Mills.



# 1970 baseball scoreboard . . .

a.h.s.			opponent		
*	**	***	*	**	***
1	.....	virginia high	.....	0	
4	3	4	....saltville.....	8	5 5
4	1	6	.patrick henry....	3	0 7
21	9	0	.. rich valley .....	1	14 2
15	10	.....	holston .....	0	1
16	1	.....	john battle .....	5	3
16	12	11	...chilhowie.....	2	1 1
*first game			**second game		
*** third game					
(season incomplete)					



1. George Pope waits for a signal from Coach Bishop.  
2. Dan Mathews eyes the pitcher as he waits for the



throw. 3. Managers Doc Kelley and Billy Williamson pack equipment.



# 1970 j.v. baseball scoreboard . . .



a.h.s.		opponent	
*	**	*	**
4	5	john battle	3 3
9	0	john battle	1 9
15	6	patrick henry	3 1
2	6	patrick henry	0 7
10	6	chilhowie	1 1
9	10	chilhowie	2 2
*first game		**second game	

Bob Legard swings hard for the Falcon Junior Varsity team.



FRONT ROW: J. Garrett, R. Shupe, C. Lang, T. Garrett, B. Matheson, M. Gotham, R. Ornduff, J. Hanna, SEC-  
OND ROW: Coach Hughes, B. Legard, J. Harrison, C.

Callahan, J. Lloyd, D. Richards, D. Eskridge, G. Hagy, B. Sheffey.



# the sparkplug . . .

## j. v. cheerleaders

spirit signs . . . pep notes . . .  
 decorated lockers and locker rooms  
 . . . football field . . . cake . . .  
 cookies and cokes after games . . .  
 enthusiasm . . . spirit . . . drive  
 . . . ability . . . new cheers and no  
 captain? . . . two co-captains --  
 Alice Morgan and Terry Smith . . .  
 that cake for the coaches? . . .  
 "those poor coaches!" . . . then a  
 cake for the J.V. basketball players  
 . . . and special lunch . . . spirit --  
 you need it to make the team . . .  
 just ask them . . . sparkplug --  
 highest award at cheerleading camp  
 . . . J.V. are first! . . .

1. KNEELING: Sally Pinkerton, Alice Morgan,  
 Terry Smith, Charlsie Smith. STANDING: Donna  
 Maiden, Carol Wilson, and Susan Barrow. 2.  
 Terry Smith, Susan Barrow, and Alice Morgan  
 ride through the rain-soaked streets during the  
 Tobacco Festival Parade.

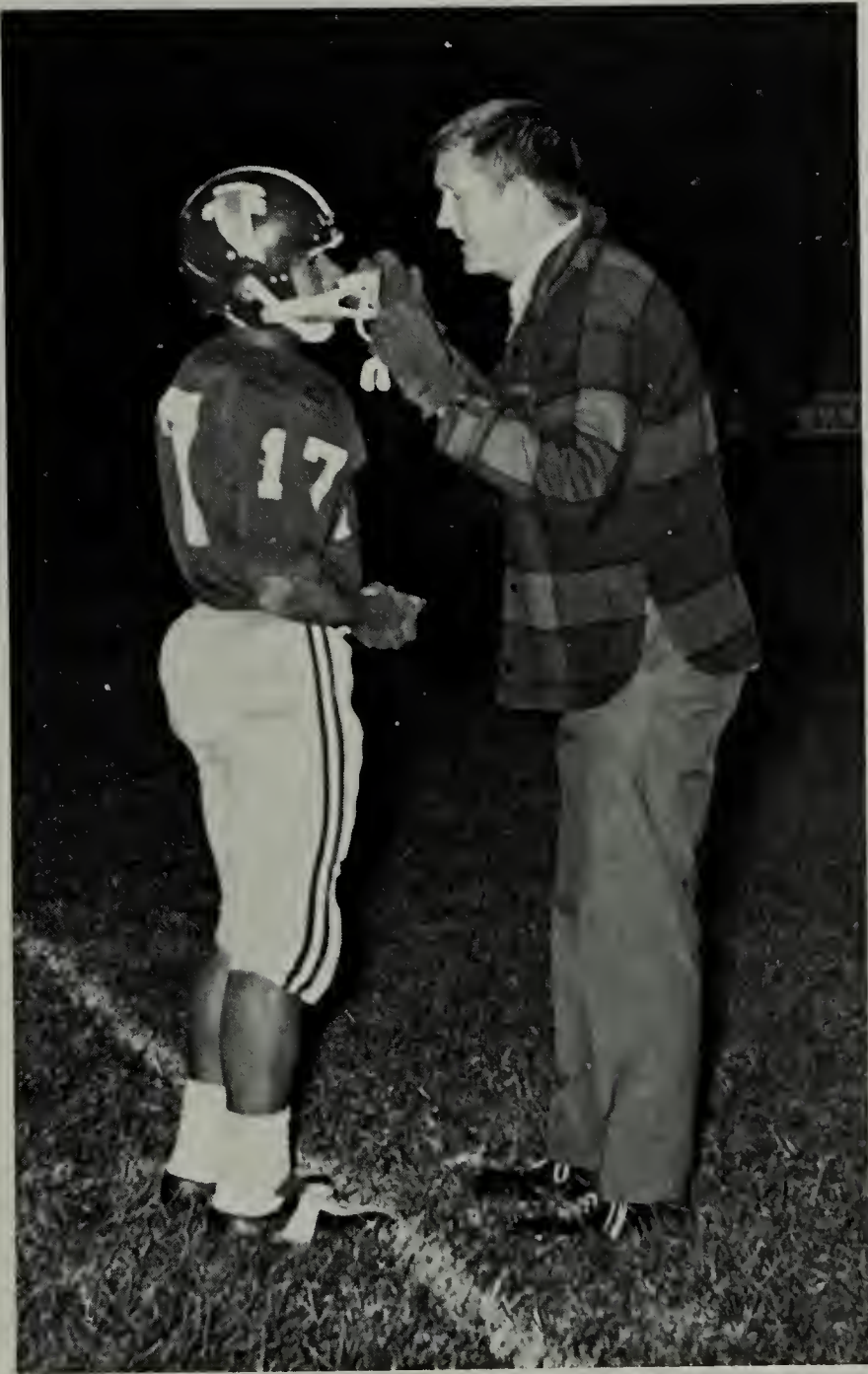




# the season is here . . .

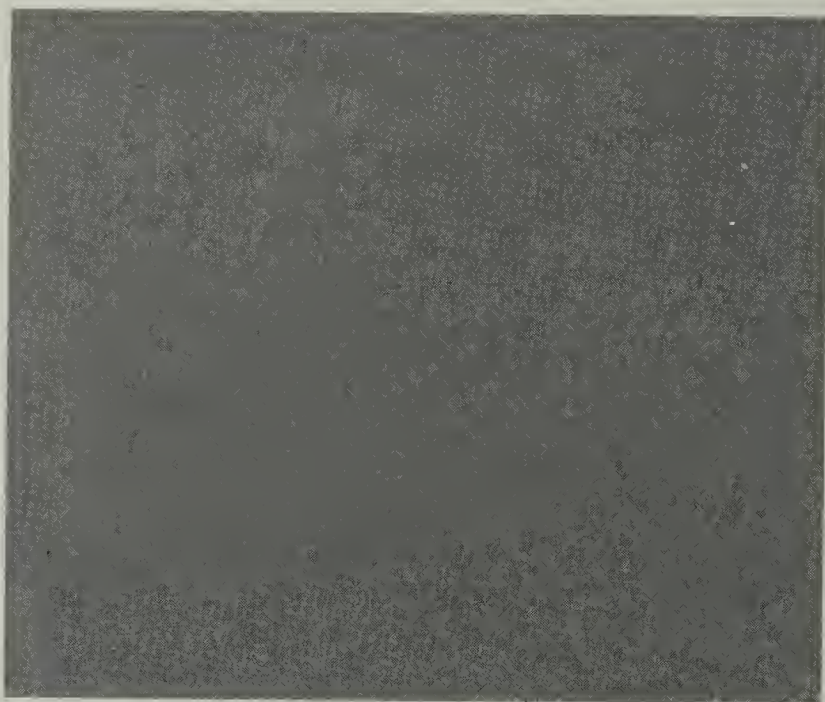
## junior varsity football

and football practice starts in the summer . . . oh, those morning practices . . . soaked all over . . . from dew or sweat? . . . blocking . . . passing . . . running 'til you're about to drop . . . scrimmages . . . "Hit that line!" . . . first game . . . 5-3 overall record . . . another 6 points on the scoreboard . . . Down that field . . . We're the champs! . . . the ups and downs of football . . . Go, Blue! . . .



1. Coach Rutledge gives instructions to quarterback George Pope. 2. The mighty Falcon's junior varsity team reacts jubilantly after they score a touchdown. 3. The line goes into action as quarterback George Pope rolls out to throw a pass.





George Pope tries for a basket at a home game.



J.V. Football: FRONT ROW: G. Pope, D. Rhoten, O. James, G. Gregory, R. Shupe, A. Hounshell, F. Whitley, SECOND ROW: D. Yates, P. Neal, R. Tignor, P. McClure, C. Bellamy, A. Hurley, D. Kestner, THIRD

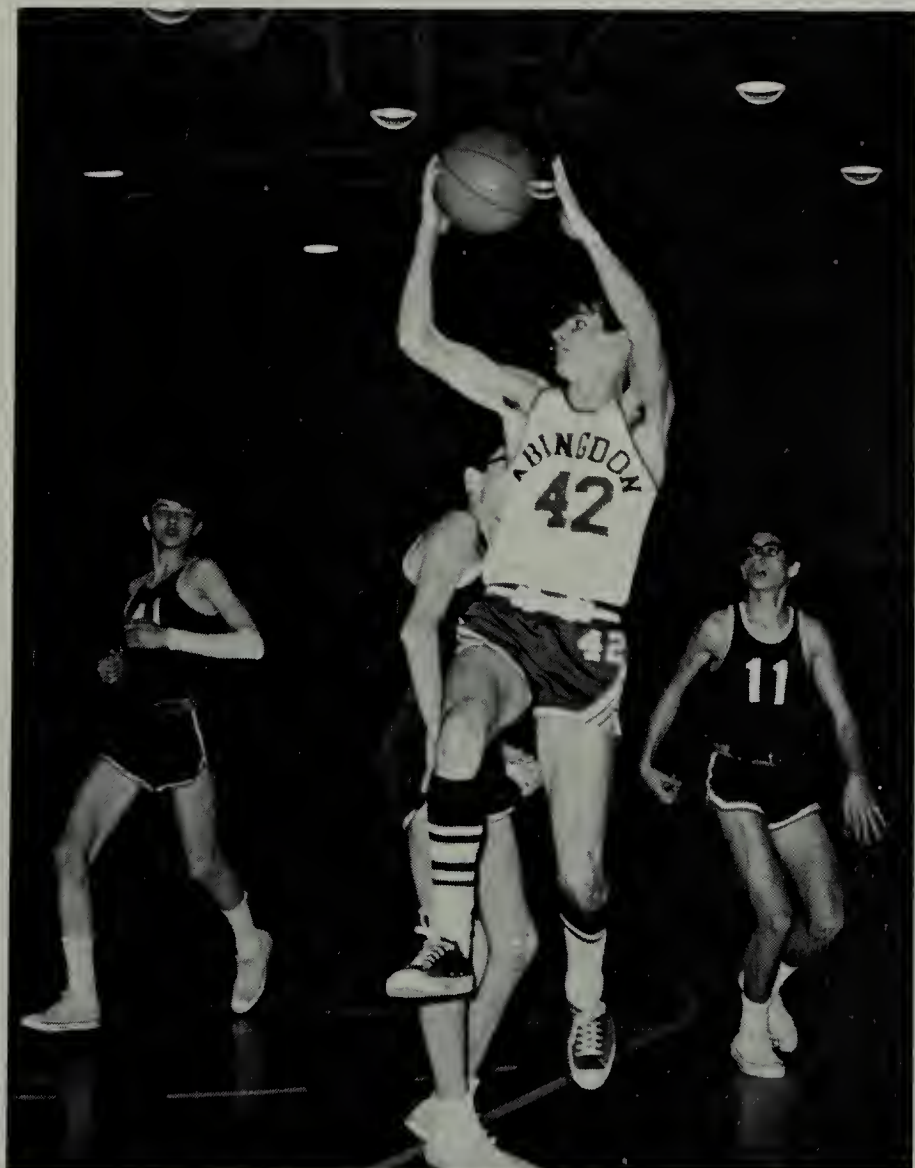
ROW: D. Fields, M. Harner, T. Arnold, D. Adams, S. Robinette, J. Ross, R. Heldreth, FOURTH ROW: Coach G. Rutledge, R. Vestal, D. Richards, G. Murray, M. Ross, Coach J. Carroll.





FRONT ROW: G. Pope, D. Dudley, M. Fugate,  
D. Loving, M. Brillhart. SECOND ROW: B. King,

B. Caudell, K. Brown, B. Carmack, R. Singleton,  
Coach G. Rutledge.



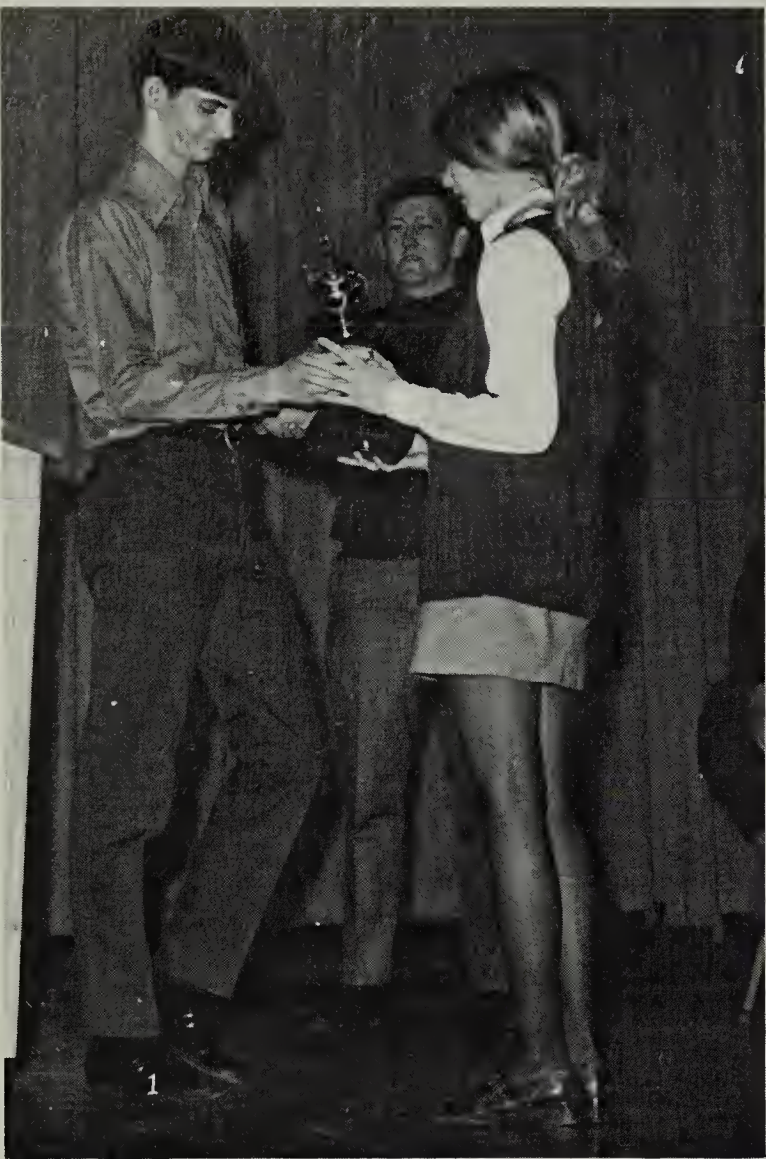
## the time is now . . .

### junior varsity basketball

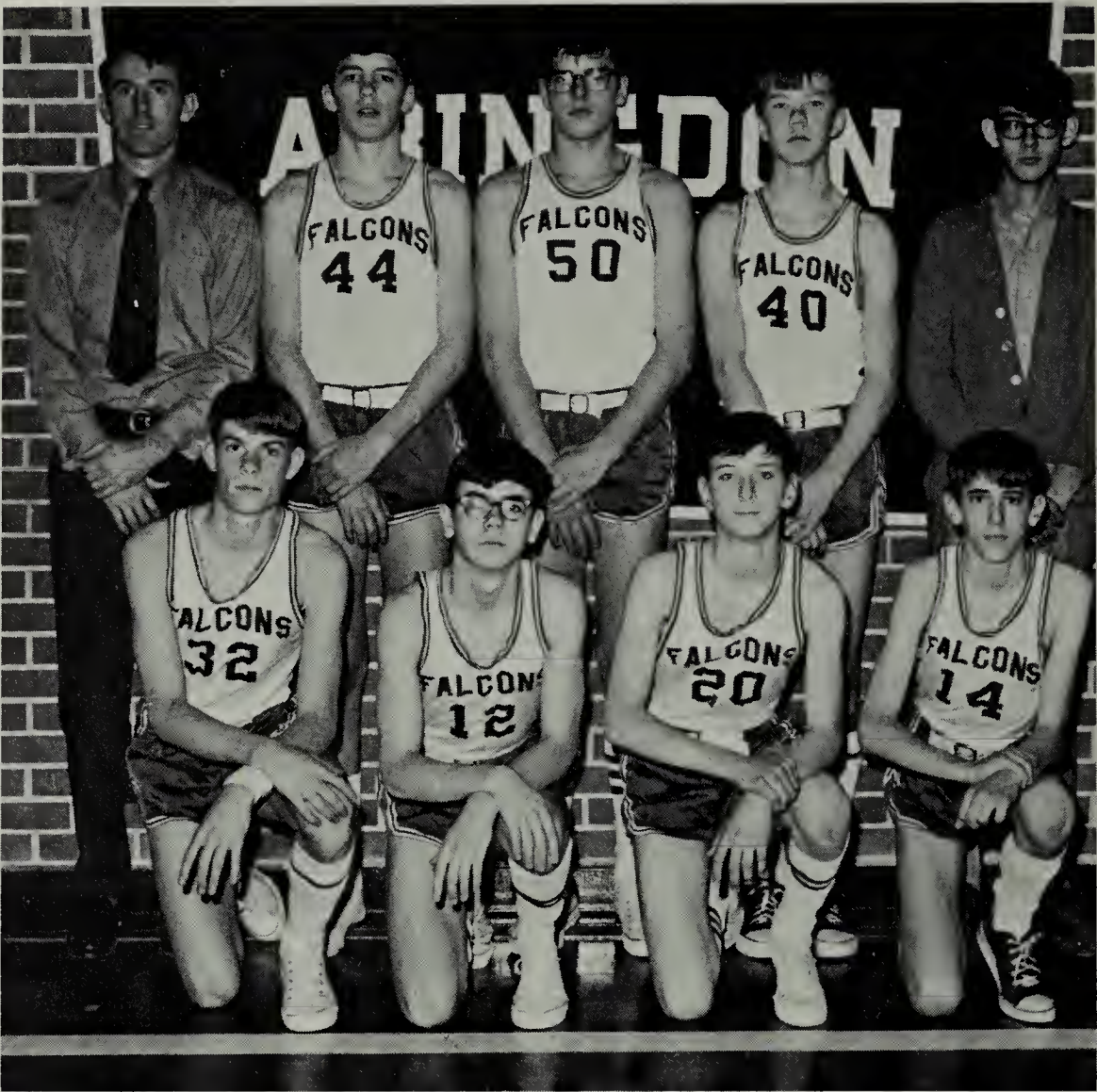
for basketball season to start . . . no more  
free afternoons for the Falcon basketball  
players . . . after school it's to the gym  
. . . then the fun begins . . . laps for  
building energy -- or so they say . . .  
practice at shooting . . . rebounding . . .  
defending . . . passing . . . not passing  
"out" . . . "Look out, here we come!" . . .  
first the scrimmages . . . looking good . . .  
then the first game . . . hard work makes the  
skill needed to win . . . mighty Falcons  
need no Lady Luck . . . it's all skill . . .  
on to the big games . . . the Washington  
County Tourney . . . VICTORY! . . . the  
end of a good season for the junior Falcons  
. . . memories to last . . .

Bill Carmack goes up for a shot during a Junior Varsity  
game.





1. Bill Carmack presents the J.V. Champ trophy to Anne Austin.



Ninth Grade: KNEELING: R. Janson, R. McCool, M. Yeatts, T. Hagy. STANDING: Coach D. Pruitt, D. Richards, M. Matheson, D. Roche, Manager R. Kelly.

# little champs . . . ninth and eighth

basketball season rolls around again . . . practices after school . . . during vacations and snow breaks . . . for what? . . . eighth graders are county champs . . . our "Little champs" can show them who's boss . . . lots of hard work . . . lots of determination . . . lots of that will to win shows up in both teams . . . victories . . . defeats . . . and pride for A.H.S. make up a successful season . . .



2. The Junior Varsity is treated to dinner at Mrs. Woolwine's house in order to celebrate their victory.



# 1970 junior varsity basketball scoreboard . . .

a.h.s.	opponent	a.h.s.	opponent		
37	east	48	63	rich valley	39
58	holston	16	31	battle	39
30	marion	20	44	virginia high	36
36	patrick henry	27	44	patrick henry	22
42	saltville	43	County champs		



KNEELING: R. White, B. Wright, M. Seamon, C. Lang, D. Holtsinger, R. Ornduff, STANDING: J. Wilson, Mgr., C. Duty, R. Bailey, L. Harris, R. Cole, S. Carter, B. Schaffer, Coach Paul Santillo.

## basketball scoreboard 1970 ninth grade

a.h.s.	opponent
57	saltville 29
19	marion 57
64	marion 25
45	lebanon 42

3. Mark Seamon presents the Eighth Grade Champ trophy to Anne Austin, S.C.A. Vice-President.





# eighth grade 1970 . . .

## basketball scoreboard

a.h.s.	opponent
*34**	chilhowie *74**
35/45	marion 24/40
41/59	saltville 33/24
25/31	vance jr. high 62/40
40/62	holston 11/18
33/24	patrick henry 18/33
*first game **second game	
county tournament champs	



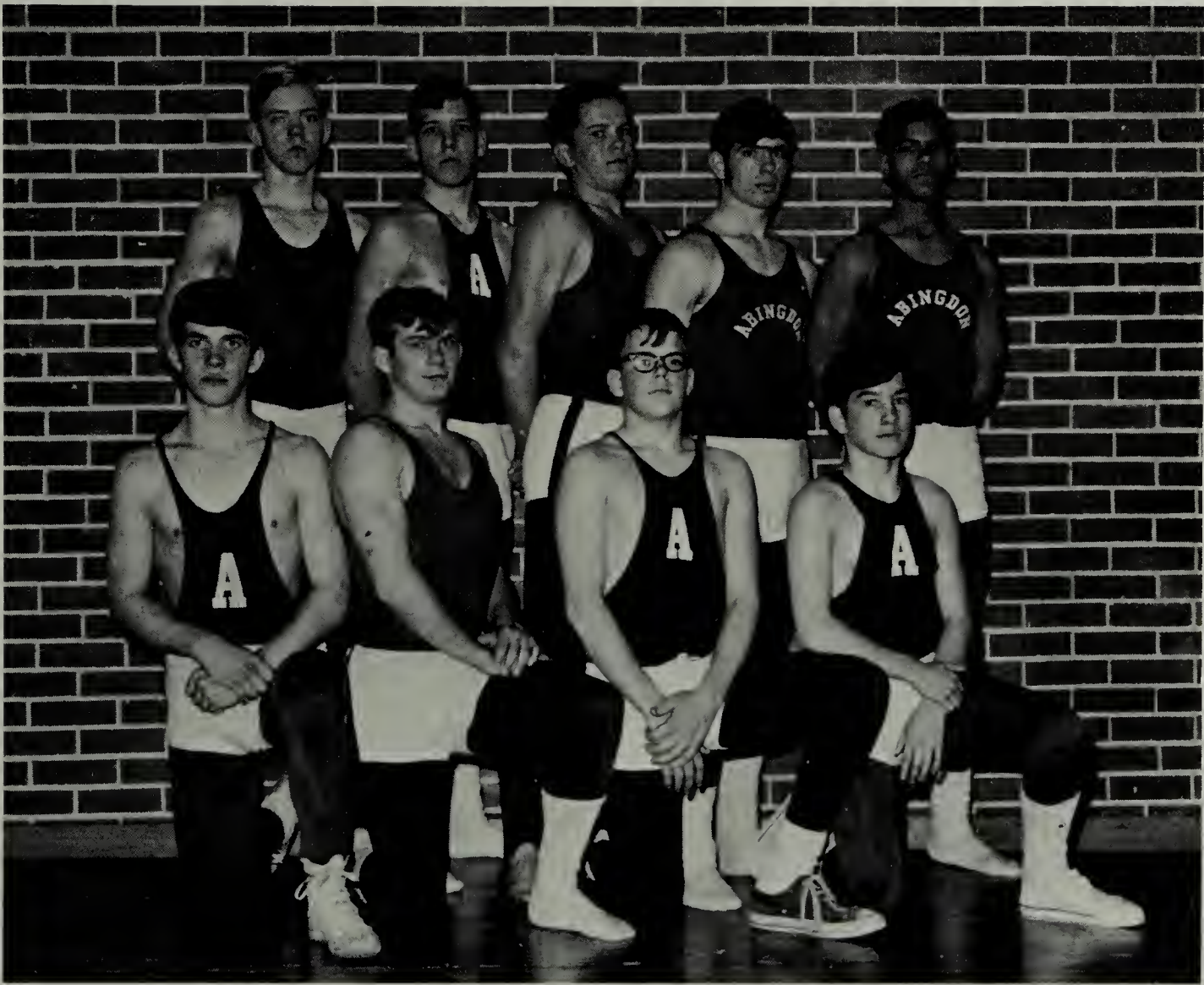
Robert Bailey chalks up two more points for the "baby" Falcons.



FRONT ROW: R. Ornduff, R. Short, D. Wilson, C. Lang, D. Petty, W. Keller, C. Callahan, SECOND ROW: J. Wilson, G. Fugate, M. Satterfield, L. Osborne, T. Rice,

M. Gotham, E. Bowen, THIRD ROW: Coach Santillo, B. Schaffer, T. Riddle, S. Carter, L. Harris, B. Williamson, M. Seamon, B. Wright, G. Hagy, Coach Mills.





KNEELING: B. Lowe, F. Carmack, M. Gotham, D. Murray, STANDING: R. Kolling, M. Lough, J. Stewart, F. James, T. Riddle.



# 1970 j.v. preliminary

## wrestling scoreboard

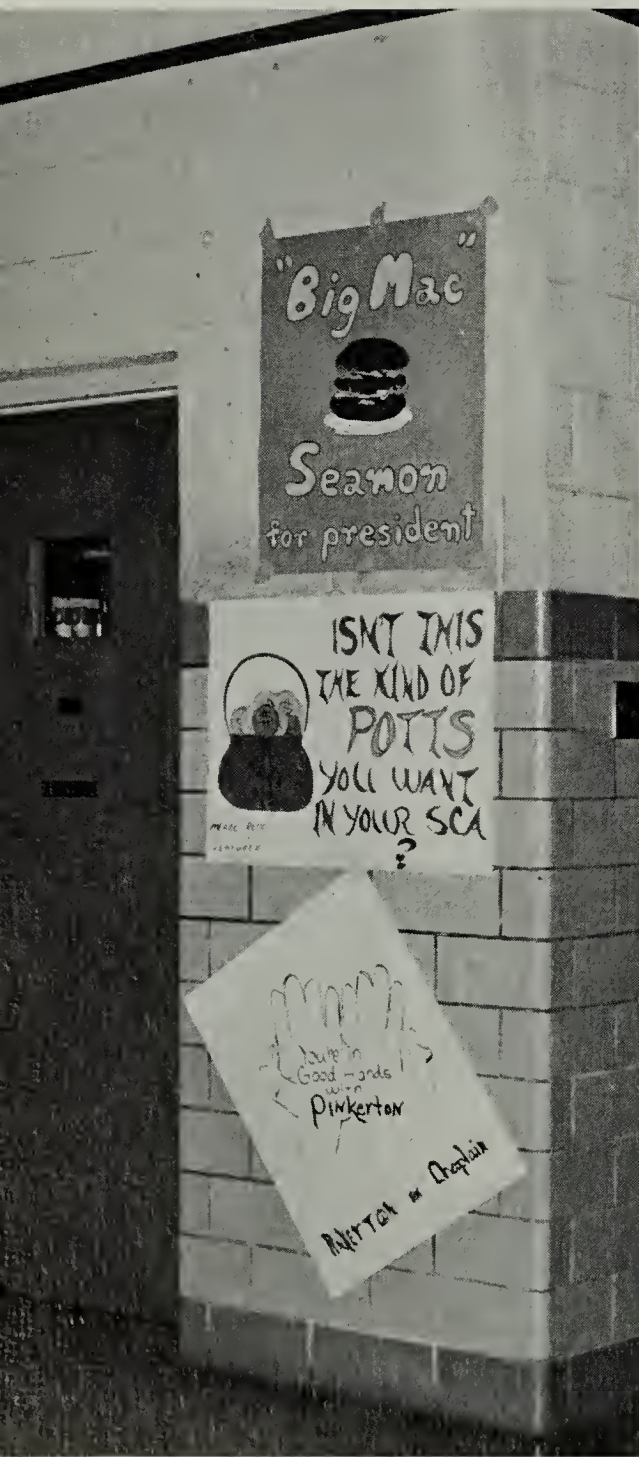
a.h.s.	opponent
21 .....	patrick henry ..... 17
12 .....	pulaski ..... 16
13 .....	marion ..... 9

The junior varsity did not have regular matches. They wrestled before each varsity match in preliminaries to gain experience.

Coach Carroll and Coach Mills agree on last minute instructions.



a time for joining in . . .





## groups

Clubs . . . Girl's and Boy's clubs . . .  
projects . . . dances . . . money . . .  
conventions . . . M.G.A. . . . S.I.P.A.  
. . . "I am a C-I-V-I-L-I-Z-E-D" . . .  
. . . tractor driving . . . Band . . .  
festivals . . . parades . . . competition  
. . . Chorus . . . Debaters . . . Year-  
book and Newspaper Staffs . . . work  
. . . leadership . . . sponsors . . .  
floats . . . S.C.A. and Inter-Club . . .  
a time for joining in -- a time for living  
. . .



as edited by . . . linda ratliff



# contrary to rumors — the tree is alive . . .

## student cooperative association

Eva . . . announcements . . . inspirations  
. . . bulletin boards . . . meetings . . .  
choral room . . . old and new business . . .  
homeroom representatives . . . Homecom-  
ing . . . Thanksgiving basket . . . Christ-  
mas basket . . . Christmas tree dies . . .  
"No, it didn't" . . . Trophy case . . . for  
non-athletic trophies . . . District Work-  
shop . . . Elections . . . speeches . . .  
posters . . . State convention . . . adopt a  
state constitution . . . Eva presides over  
the Southwest Region meeting . . . Clean-  
up campaign . . . "Falcon Report" . . .  
Rules Committee . . . Suggestion Box . . .  
Student exchange? . . . second period --  
S.C.A. reports . . . involvement . . .



1. Mike Ohlson, Lindy Seamon, Mrs. Shelton, Eva Foster, and Mrs. Woolwine prepare to travel to the State S.C.A. Convention in Winchester where Eva will preside at the Southeast Region meeting. 2. S.C.A. officers: V-Pres Anne Austin, Chap. Tim Spencer, Treas. Ellen Pinkerton, Sec. Becky Nelson, Pres. Eva Foster, Sgt.-at-Arms Charlie Brown, Dist. Rep. Linda Ratliff.







3. Eva Foster, S.C.A. President, places trophies in the new case bought by the S.C.A. 4. Campaign posters during the officer's election tell the student who to vote for.



FRONT ROW: D. Branson, R. Morrell, L. Ratliff, K. Morgan, Mrs. Shelton, sponsor, S. Gawryla, G. Fuller, S. Thompson, W. Bailey, B. Roberts, S. May, P. McCray, N. Luis, K. Yeatts, A. Austin, E. Foster, E. Pinkerton, V. Anderson, G. Johnson, J. Greer, J. Taylor, Dr. Castellanos, sponsor, SECOND ROW: A. Hicks, J. VanHuss, M. Potts, C. Johnson, E. White, L. Cox, J. Blevins, T. Smith, G. Blevins, A. Morgan, L. Orn-

duff, J. Shaffer, K. Swan, B. McConnell, M. Montgomery, THIRD ROW: C. Brown, G. Owens, R. Cole, T. Daughtery, B. Buchanan, T. Spencer, D. Brown, D. Mathews, W. Hawley, M. Addison, B. Hagy, D. Denton, J. Legard, M. Ohlson, B. King, B. Jaques, D. Kaylor, J. Dixon, FOURTH ROW: D. Foster, R. McCool, B. Richards, M. Bradley, D. Holtsinger, D. Petty, R. Ornduff, B. Frier.



# business . . .

## inter-club council

Club and class presidents and vice presidents only . . . organized this year . . . club business only . . . activities scheduled . . . activities approved . . . "Can we have a bake sale?" . . . Write a constitution . . . membership for clubs set . . . clubs working together for one goal . . .

Interclub Council officers are: Pres. Larry Ornduff, Jr. Rep. Doug Call, Sec. Beverly Elliott; Jr. Rep. Barbara Buchanan, S.C.A. Pres. Eva Foster, Vice-Pres. Jim Dixon.



FRONT ROW: L. Ratliff, D. Branson, R. Morrell, S. Hope, K. Reed, S. Gawryla, S. Thompson, W. Bailey, L. Price, D. Morgan, L. Ornduff, A. Austin, N. Arrington, V. Anderson, E. Foster, and B. Elliott. SECOND ROW: S. Pinkerton, K. Morgan, N. Luis, M. Potts, P. Price, C. Johnson, E. White, L. Cox, T. Smith, G.

Blevins, A. Morgan, B. Jaques, B. Richards, D. Durnovich, M. Lester, J. Dixon, and D. Call, THIRD ROW: A. Hicks, B. Buchanan, T. Daugherty, D. Brown, T. Spencer, R. McCool, D. Denton, J. Shaffer, M. Elliott, B. McConnell, B. Frier, and B. King.





1. Coach Rutledge shoots for a basket. 2. Officers: Pres. D. Denton, Vice-Pres. M. Elliott, Sec. J. Houser, Treas. J. Beverly, Sgt.-at-arms M. Patterson, Sweetheart S. Gawryla, Sponsor Mr. Fletcher. Members: A. Clark, D. Callahan, J. Denton, B. Howard, T. Hagy, B. Hagy, B. Jaques, M. Lester, D. Loving, B. Lawrie, B. McConnell, D. Neely, D. Nixon, M. Owens, L. Orn-

## orphan adoption . . . interact club

Tables in the court yard . . .  
repairs . . . meetings . . .  
float wins second . . . big  
secret . . . warehouse . . .  
Interact vs. faculty basketball  
game . . . Christmas basket  
. . . Christmas help to needy  
family . . . adopt orphan in  
Thailand . . . Christmas  
Dance . . . bake sales . . .  
serve at teachers' meetings  
. . . Rotary luncheons . . .  
build steps to the track . . .  
Trash barrels for court yard  
. . . service . . .

duff, S. Price, R. Weisfeld, R. Ratliff, J. McCroskey.  
Not pictured: M. Addison, J. Anderson, T. Blevins, J.  
Bowden, B. Cumbow, M. Elliott, A. Hicks, R. Min-  
nick, B. McIntyre, J. Shaffer, K. Farmer, G. Gregory,  
J. Stewart. 3. Sweetheart, Sylvia Gawryla, adorns the  
club's float.



# ski resort turned into a convention . . .

## civinette club

I am a C-I-V-I-N-E-T-T-E . . . No clinic to keep . . . dues . . . blazers . . . pins . . . Selling programs at football games . . . Float-stuffing napkins . . . Second place winners in float contest . . . Halloween party for kindergarten . . . Presents for children at Christmas . . . Fruit cakes

. . . March of Dimes . . . Heart Fund . . . Call meetings . . . 8:15 Monday morning? . . . Clean the trophy cases . . . Sock sale . . . Appalachian District Convention -- at a SKI RESORT? . . .

1. A typical Civinette meeting in progress. 2. Officers: Pres. Debbie Brown, V.-Pres. Debbie Morgan, Sec. Gail Fuller, Treas. Marsha Via, Sgt.-at-Arms Mary Webber, Sponsor, Mrs. Yearly, Members: N. Arrington, K. Bartlett, J. Blevins, B. Buchanan, V. Buchanan, L. Cox, J. Craig, J. Dunn, B. Elliott, E. Foster, S. Hill, E. Pinkerton, S. Pinkerton, B. Reed, B. Smith, E. White, J. Legard, B. Neese, L. Ratliff, M. Weisfeld, M. Potts, S. Owens, C. Roberts, B. Reynolds.







3.



4.

## car bash . . .

### key club

"Big Jim" . . . Raising flags  
 . . . Presenting flags in as-  
 semblies . . . Initiation . . .  
 Helped at Homecoming . . .  
 car bash . . . half-time activi-  
 ties . . . Tobacco Festival  
 float . . . "Beat Interact and  
 Civinettes" . . . built at the  
 Forestry Department . . .  
 FIVE dollars in the treasury?  
 . . . "Raise Money" . . .  
 Valentine Dance . . . Kiwanis  
 luncheon -- suits . . . sign-  
 ing out . . . Key Club con-  
 vention . . .

3. Officers: Pres. Jim Dixon, V. Pres. Tim Spencer,  
 Sec. John Legard, Treas. Mickey Bradley, Sweetheart  
 Eva Foster, Sponsor Mr. Coleman. Members: D. Adams,  
 J. Booth, C. Brown, D. Call, B. Carmack, F. Car-  
 mack, J. Chafin, R. Copeland, D. Dudley, M. Elliott,  
 L. Ellis, M. Farris, B. Frier, D. Groce, T. Holtsinger,

B. King, S. Kroll, B. Legard, D. Mathews, G. Mc-  
 Cormick, J. Odum, M. Ohlson, B. Richards, L. Sea-  
 mon, K. Shuman, R. Singleton, P. Stevens, D. Wright.  
 4. Eva Foster, Club Sweetheart, rides the Key Club float  
 in the Tobacco Festival Parade.



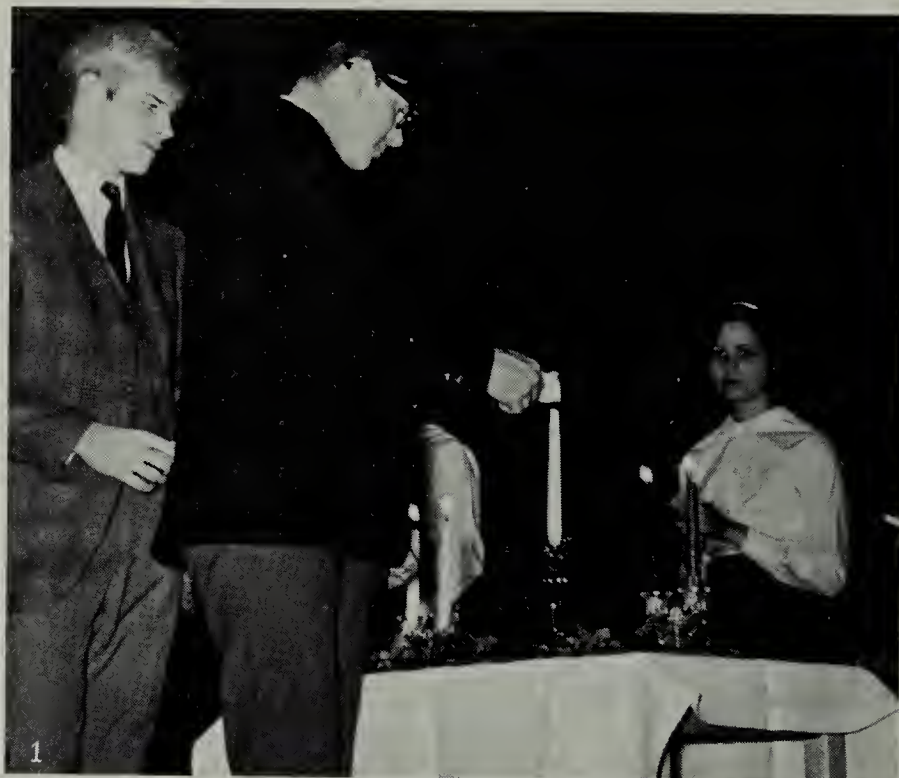
# adopted an orphan . . .

## hi-y

Attended church as a group . . . members  
sent to District Conference at Chilhowie  
. . . Donations . . . Christmas presents to  
mental hospital . . . service projects . . .

## senior tri-hi-y

Sponsored orphan child in Hong Kong . . .  
Christmas Assembly . . . Thanksgiving  
basket . . . contributed to "Toys for Tots"  
. . . Donations to World Missions . . .



Hi-Y -- Front Row: T. Monroe, M. Elliott, Hist. R. Weisfeld, Sec. D. Dudley, W. Patton, R. Janson, L. Booth, Second Row: B. McConnell, Chap. S. Kroll, A.

Clark, V. Pres. M. Lester, D. Denton, Third Row: T. Holsinger, Pres. B. Frier, Sgt. at Arms M. Ohlson, Treas. R. Richardson, R. Morrell.





1. Terry Holsinger and Steve Kroll light their candles at the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y induction service as Glenna Blevins awaits her turn. 2. Sr. Tri-Hi-Y -- SEATED: Sec. B. Reynolds, Pres. S. Gawryla, V. Pres. B. Webster, Rep. V. Buchanan. STANDING: B. Reed, C. Roberts, K. Ornduff, S. Hill, B. Stigers, J. Blevins, J. Stout, G. Fuller, Treas. M. Potts, Chap. D. Munsey, Sponsors Miss Butt and Mrs. Moore. 3. Virginia's Lieutenant Governor J. Sargent Reynolds assists Roger Morrell President of the Senate in conducting business at the Y.M.C.A. Model General Assembly. 4. Vickie Buchanan, Becky Reynolds, Terry Holsinger, Blair Frier, and Mrs. Flanagan were the Hi-Y and Sr. Tri-Hi-Y representatives to M.G.A.





## breakfast, anyone? . . .

jr. tri-hi-y

Attend church as a group . . . Baptist . . . Catholic . . . Episcopal . . . Lutheran . . . Methodist . . . Presbyterian . . . Projects . . . sell Christmas bows . . . bake sale . . . sock hop . . . sponsor an orphan in Vietnam . . . serve "breakfast" in the cafeteria . . . orange drink . . . chocolate milk . . . doughnuts . . . "Mmm, Mmm, good!" . . . Service club . . . division of Y.M.C.A. . . . Libby Price elected page for M.G.A. . . .

1. FRONT ROW: Sec. D. Saunders, Treas. M. Grant, V. Pres. L. Price, Hist. C. Glover, SECOND ROW: C. Terry, C. Campbell, C. Jarrell, S. Rasnick, V. Reed, S. Price, Rep. S. Munsey, Chap. M. Bradley, Sponsor Mrs. Flanagan, B. Price, Pres. C. Johnson. Not pictured: C. Abel, S. Honaker, C. Smeltzer, D. Wheeler. 2. Libby Price was elected to serve as a page at M.G.A. in Richmond.



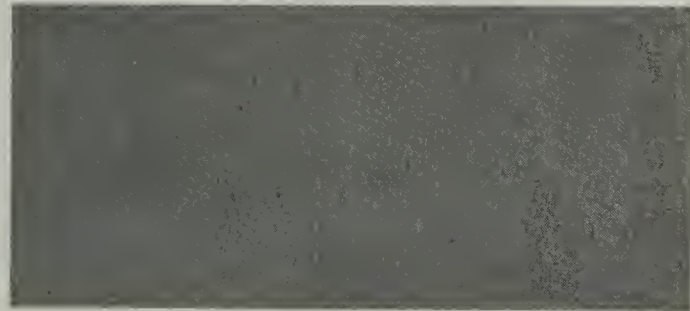


# first link in a chain of clubs . . .

## flame tri-hi-y

Eighth grade girls . . . beginning of the chain of Tri-Hi-Y clubs . . . Motto . . . service to home, school, and community . . . under the direction of Mrs. Miller, sponsor . . . Contribute to the Foreign

Exchange Fund . . . Help a needy family . . . Easter Seals . . . "Our bulletin board won first place!" . . . bake sale . . . induction . . . refreshments . . . Service . . .

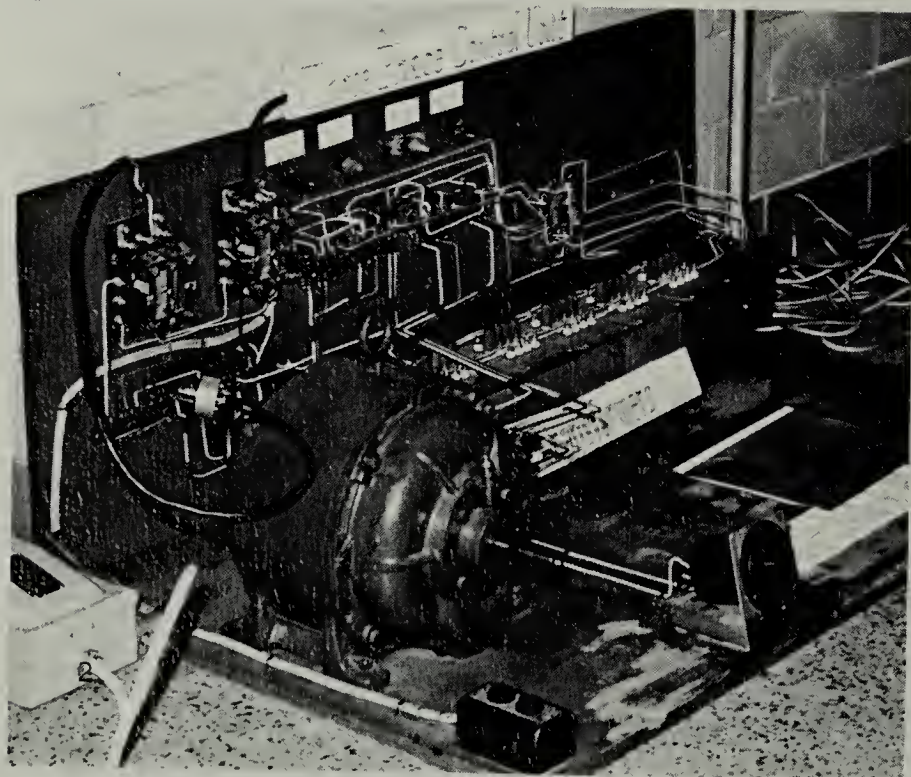


3. Vera Reed and Brenda Price serve "breakfast" to Jim Bowden and Mike Motley. 4. Officers: Pres. G. Blevins, V. Pres. S. Pinkerton, Sec. V. Anderson, Treas. D. Maiden, Chap. C. Smith, Sponsor Mrs. Miller. Members: D. Bare, L. Bartlett, E. Bradley, D. Chafin, L. Doak, D. Flannery, L. Fleenor, B. Foran, M. Gentry, T. Grogan, W. Gunnoe, P. Hagy, S. Jackson, G. Johnson, M. Lambert, S. May, B. Mink, B. Parker, D. Peters, D. Pierce, S. Prelaz, B. Price, B. Singleton, A. Sironko, P. Southerlin, S. Stone, M. Via, B. Widner, S. Woody.

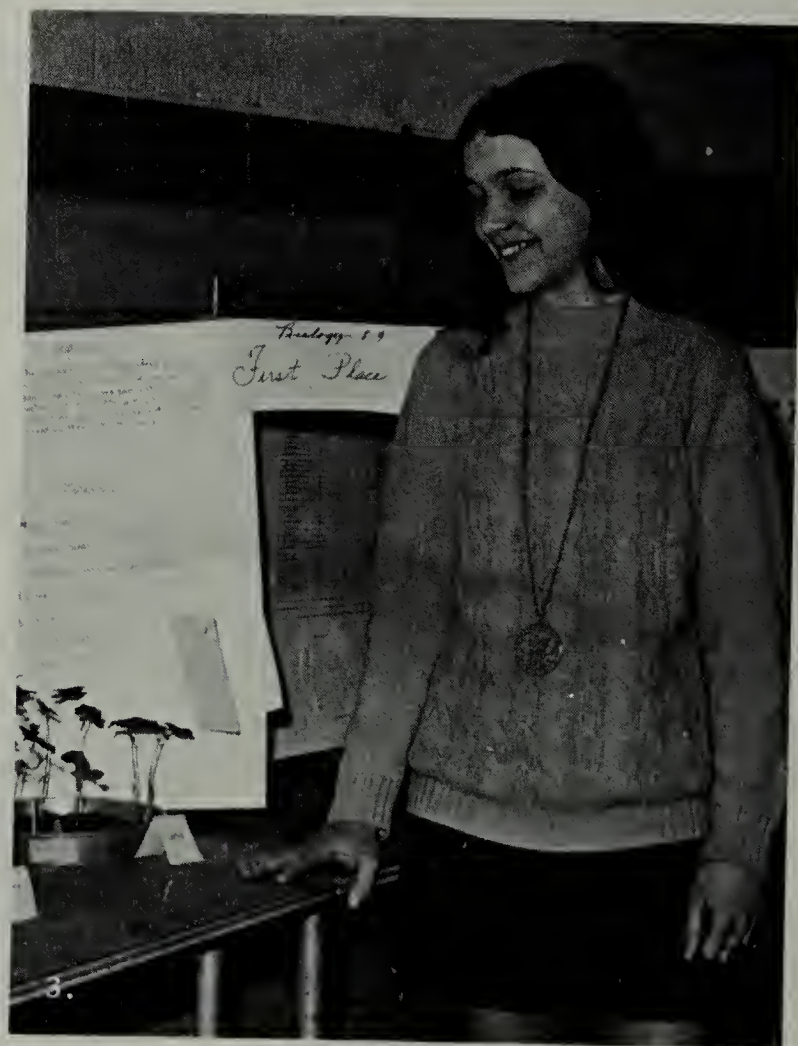




1. FRONT ROW: Vice-Pres. D. Durnovich, L. Morgan, M. Owens, B. Howard, B. Cumbow, B. Lawrie, Sec. M. Brillhart. SECOND ROW: M. Elliott, Sponsor Mr. Fleenor, S. Thomas, Pres. B. Jaques, M. Addison.



2. Bobby Hefner's Senior Grand Award project. 3. Caryl Hayter displays her Jr. Grand Award-winning project. 5. Other projects await judges.



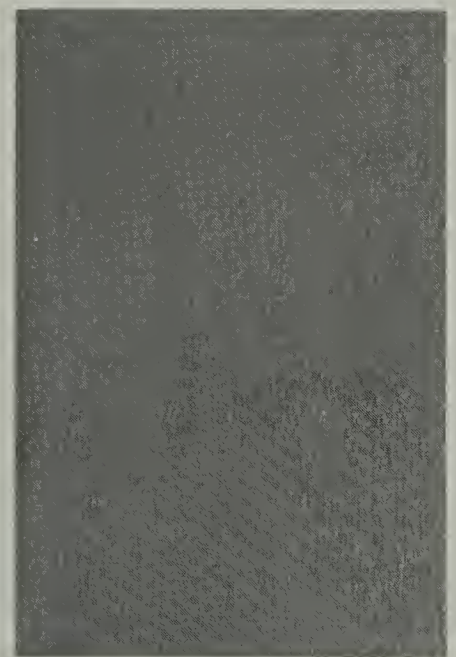
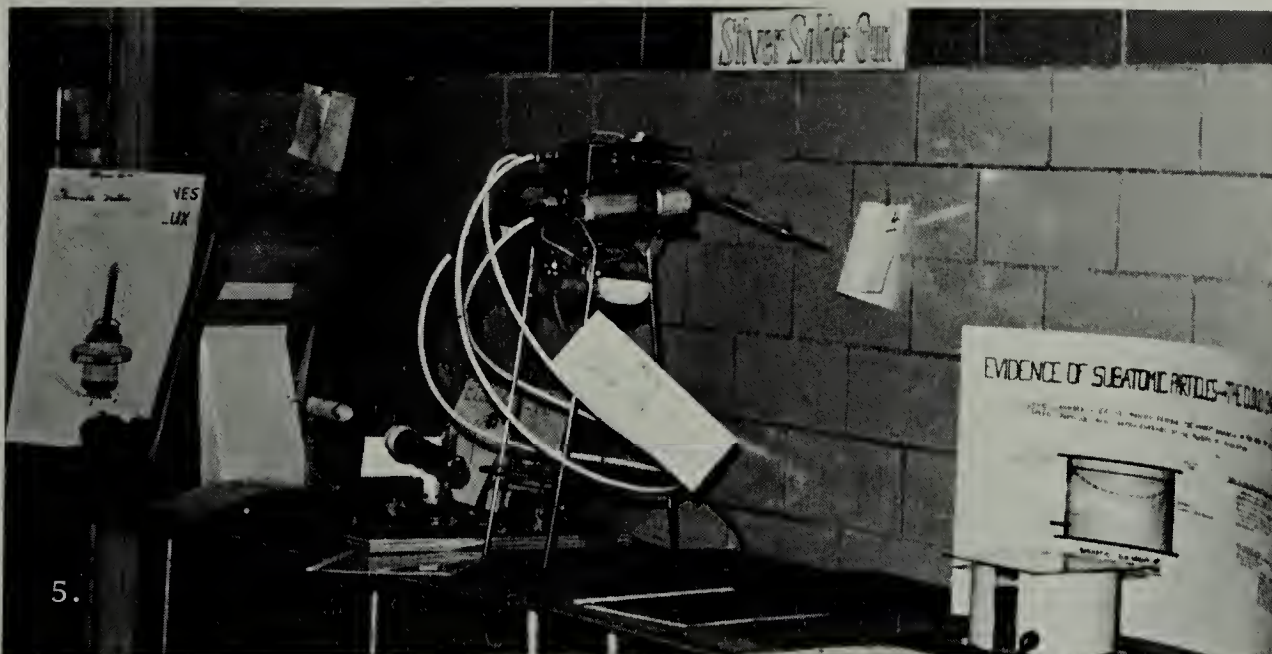


# launching a balloon for scientific purposes? . . .

## science clubs

Selling programs at football games . . .  
 Science Fair . . . chemistry . . . physics  
 . . . biology . . . earth science . . . Ex-  
 periments . . . "What happened to my test  
 tube?" . . . Lab reports . . . no bulletin  
 boards, please . . . Field Trips . . . Carbo

. . . Brunswick . . . launching a balloon at  
 a drive-in at Marion . . . future scientists?  
 . . . buying books for the library . . .  
 "Where's Mr. McConnell?" . . . "Let's  
 have another field trip" . . .



4. Junior Science Officers: Pres. T. Daugherty, V. Pres. A. Morgan, Sec. W. Shortt, Treas. B. Clark, Sgt.-at-arms D. Eskridge, Rep. S. Barrow. Members: T. Arnold, K. Balthazar, G. Barrow, J. Bowden, J. Cornelius, T. Counts, K. Grantham, J. Gawryla, T. Hagy, B. Helton,

D. Holsinger, F. James, J. Kite, J. Miller, M. Motley, C. Myers, D. Pierce, R. Smith, M. Vaughan, B. Wright, D. Yates. Not pictured: D. Callahan, M. Snead, T. Daugherty.

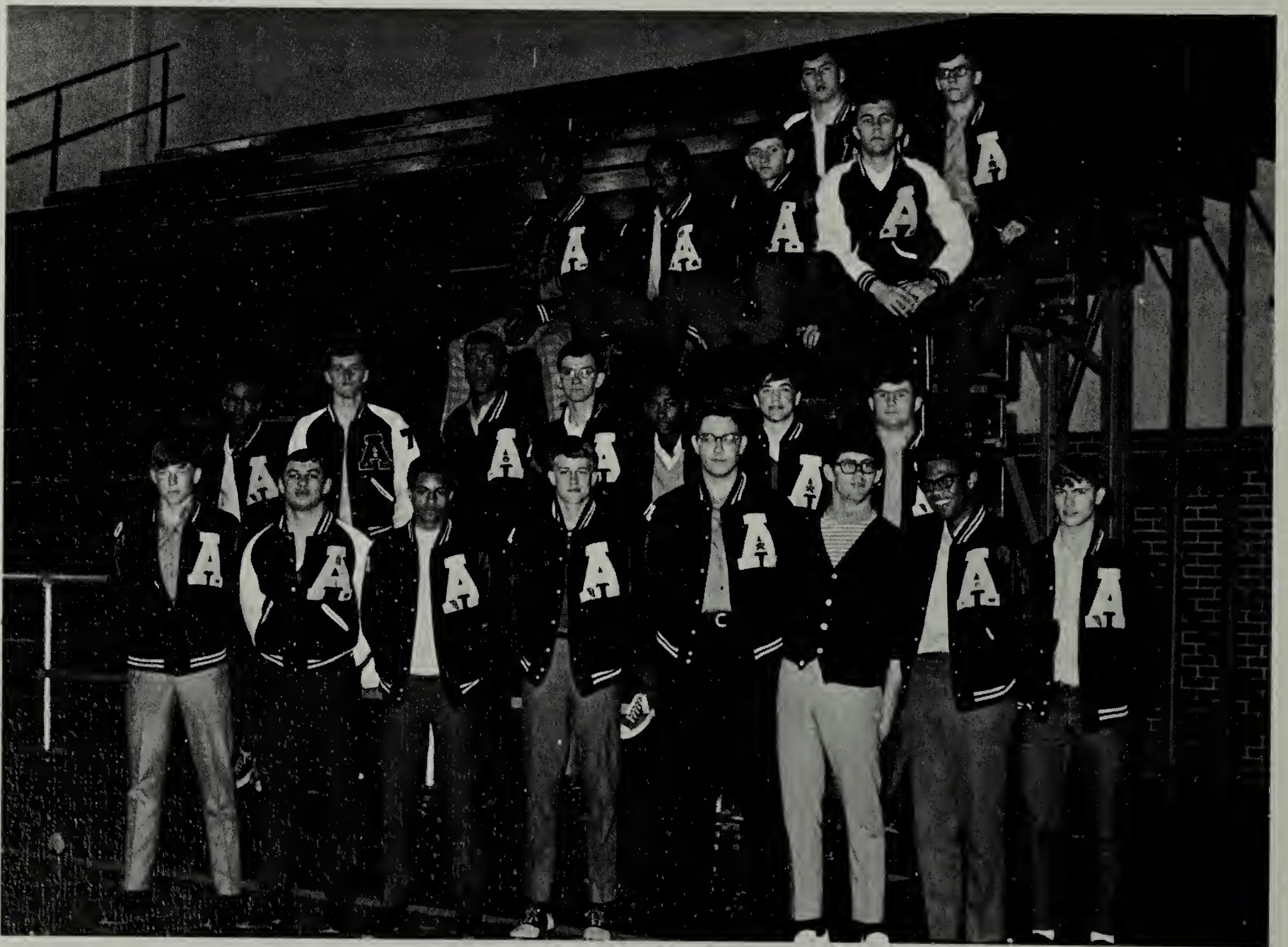


# letter jackets as membership cards . . .

## monogram club

An honor society for varsity athletes . . .  
"only the best" . . . football lettermen . . .  
basketball lettermen . . . wrestling lettermen . . .  
baseball lettermen . . . track lettermen . . .  
golf lettermen . . . all make up the "A" Club . . . projects . . . car

wash . . . Saturday . . . work . . . sweep  
gym floor . . . assist coaches . . . move  
bleachers . . . meetings . . . letter jackets  
presented . . . A's and bars . . . a big  
honor . . . the best of the "Mighty Falcons"  
. . .



FRONT ROW: Pres. J. Shaffer, Treas. T. Blevins, T. Fugate, P. Stevens, G. Miller, R. Copeland, Sec. J. Anderson, D. Rhoten, SECOND ROW: J. Lowe, V. Pres. T. Spencer, J. Clark, M. Farris, G. Sales, D. Call, G.

McCormick. THIRD ROW: K. Swan, M. Jones, D. Wright, D. Mathews, J. Barker, J. Legard. Not pictured: K. Brown, K. Shuman, M. Patterson, B. Caudell, M. Bradley.





## peanut sales . . .

### future farmers of america

Tobacco Festival entries . . . Trimming hedges around the school . . . Plant pine trees . . . Wildlife seed plantings . . . Peanut sale . . . Father-Son banquet . . . Raising a crop of tobacco . . . F.F.A. public speaking . . . Tractor driving contest . . . Dairy judging . . . Livestock judging . . . Identifying trees . . . Camping trip . . . Picnic . . .



1. Johnny Singleton sells a can of peanuts to Walter Edmiston. 2. Officers: Pres. Johnny Singleton, First V. Pres. L. Cullop, Second V. Pres. M. Harner, Sec. J. Roark, Treas. S. Sprinkle, Rep. S. Morgan, Sent. J. Cullop, Second V. Pres. W. Bailey. Members: B. Arden, E. Baumgardner, C. Bellamy, L. Bellamy, E. Berry, R. Blevins, W. Campbell, G. Childers, A. Combs, D. Cullop, J. Cullop, D. Fields, D. Foran, L. Garland, T. Goodman, E. Greer, R. Hawkins, J. Hutton, T. Jackson, P. Johnson, D. Kestner, G. McCall, B. McIntyre, L. Minton, F. Mitchell, R. Mitchell, W. Mitchell, R. Moore, D. Price, R. Ray, D. Rhoten, D. Roark, C. Roberts, D. Roche, C. Rodefer, D. Rosenbaum, J. Russell, R. Sheffey, J. Singleton, S. Smith, M. Snead, J. Sprinkle, C. Stevens, D. Stumbaugh, K. Sullins, P. Taylor, G. Thompson, T. Urbani, D. Wagner, D. Weddle, F. Whitley, D. Widner, W. Williamson, R. Wright, I. Wyatt. 3. Steve Sprinkle, Star Chapter Farmer and Jerry Singleton, Star Greenhand.





1. & 2. F.H.A. Officers: Pres. W. Bailey, Vice-Pres. P. Price, Sec. R. Anderson, Treas. C. Wright, Rep. B. Pippin, Chap. P. Latham, Hist. J. Greer, Rec. Leader J. Carty, Parl. G. Price. Members: J. Anderson, V. Anderson, V. Atkins, D. Bare, D. Boardwine, C. Brannon, D. Branson, C. Brown, L. Carty, B. Crosswhite, C. Denton, D. Doss, W. Dunn, M. Farley, K. Fugate, S. Gawryla, K. Gentry, M. Gentry, S. Grant, T. Gregory, W. Gunnoe, C. Hagy, P. Harless, E. Harvey, C. Hay-

ter, R. Hope, C. Hunt, T. Inscore, J. James, E. Johnson, G. Johnson, D. Johnson, K. Lloyd, J. Maxwell, F. Mitchell, D. Montgomery, E. Moore, W. Page, S. Parks, B. Parris, S. Phipps, L. Pippin, P. Pippin, S. Prelaz, K. Reed, S. Riffey, C. Roberts, B. Singleton, J. Singleton, S. Smith, P. Snead, M. Stevens, P. Stevens, A. South, M. Via, D. Walls, M. Widener, W. Winebarger, B. Woods, S. Woody, D. Wyatt, D. Wygal.

4. Johnny Singleton and Marsha Via were first place winners in the F.H.A. baking contest.



# learning to be a librarian . . .

## library club

Check out books . . . file books . . . repair books . . . Study hall . . . Librarians . . . magazines . . . newspapers . . . references . . . Library cards . . . Card catalog . . . Renew . . . overdue . . . fines . . .

3. Officers: Pres. H. Thomas, Vice-Pres. B. Blackwell, Treas. C. McCracken, Sec. K. Sweet, Rep. A. Graybeal, Sgt.-at-arms W. Edmiston. Members: P. Arnold, L. Bateman, D. Casey, D. Compton, S. Culberson, V. Culberson, S. Ferguson, B. Fortner, R. Hefner, O. James, A. Keith, J. Lay, D. Lewis, V. Russell, J. Shelton, M. Smeltzer, B. Thomas, G. Vestal, D. Walls, J. Widner, C. Willoughby.



# “making a home” . . .

## future homemakers of america

Future homemakers . . . initiation . . . little red dresses . . . fashion show . . . tantalizing aromas from the home ec. department . . . cook . . . sew . . . Marsha Via wins Betty Crocker award . . . State Department filmed the home ec. rooms . . . one of the best . . . Appalachian Power appliance demonstration . . . speakers . . . visit nursing home . . . hair done at trade school . . . open house at Thelma's . . . swap classes with shop boys . . . baking contest . . . Johnny wins? . . .



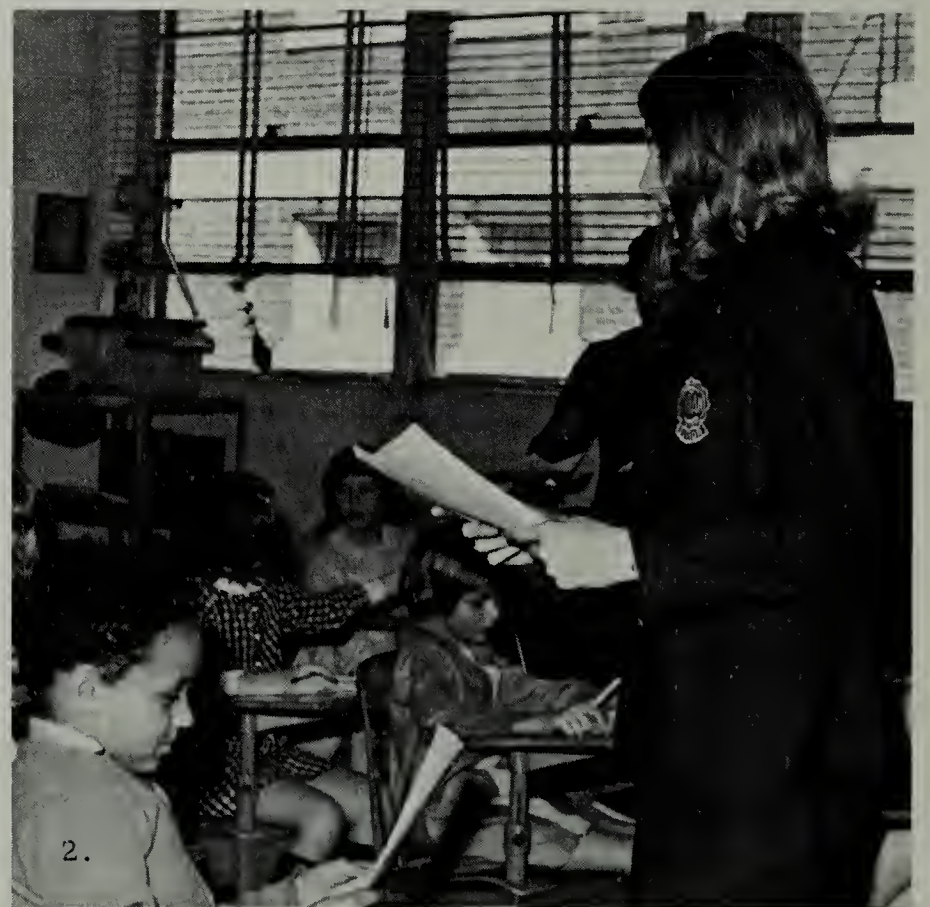


## teaching day . . .

### future teachers of america

Selling football programs . . . rummage  
sale . . . Classroom Kwiz with Libby Cox,  
Anne Austin, and Esther White . . .  
Thanksgiving basket . . . bake sale . . .  
Christmas basket . . . State convention  
. . . Teaching day at the elementary schools  
. . . Funds place a carpet on the front steps  
. . . Scholarship . . .

1. Officers: Pres. L. Cox, V. Pres. N. Arrington, Sec.  
B. Neese, Treas. S. Morgan, Rep. B. Smith, A. Aus-  
tin, K. Bartlett, D. Bostic, M. Bradley, B. Buchanan,  
L. Butt, A. Campbell, B. Collins, R. Copeland, M.  
Davidson, J. Dunn, P. Dunn, R. Edwards, B. Elliott, S.  
Hagy, J. Hawley, H. Hilton, C. Janson, L. Johnson, D.  
Kiser, K. Kreger, D. Lilly, A. McCray, J. Miller, D.  
Morgan, D. Musick, C. Neese, L. Ornduff, S. Owens,  
E. Pinkerton, S. Pinkerton, S. Poe, K. Prater, R.  
Price, L. Ratliff, C. Reese, D. Roark, B. Roberts, C.  
Roberts, J. Robuck, D. Shortt, G. Smith, J. Taylor, S.



Thompson, J. Van Huss, B. Vermillion, M. Via, S.  
Warden, M. Webber, M. Wheeler, E. White, D.  
Wright, P. Wright, R. James, P. McCray, F. Singleton.  
2. Linda Ratliff masquerades as a teacher for one day.





F.T.A. member, Kathy Prater, supervises a reading lesson during her day as a teacher.



## a party for the special education class . . .

### future business leaders of america

Business courses . . . Selling chocolate bars . . . Halloween party for special education class . . . car wash . . . Visit UNIVAC . . . visit Bristol Caverns . . . Donated \$25 to orphanage . . . Party for Seniors . . .

Officers: Pres. T. Inscore, V. Pres. W. Winebarger, Sec. P. South, Treas. P. Snead, Parl. C. Cornett, Rep. J. Baumgardner, His. D. Johnson, Sgt.-at-arms B. Parks, Sponsors Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Kiser. Members: K. Baumgardner, N. Hicks, D. Kiser, D. Reynolds, B. Taylor. Not pictured: S. McCracken.



# unilateral intervention . . .

## debate

Affirmative . . . argue . . . work . . .  
 information . . . practice . . . Wake  
 Forest . . . U. Va. . . . Battle . . .  
 Clinch Valley College at Wise . . .  
 Norton . . . Church Hill . . . travel  
 . . . "Where do we go now?" . . . de-  
 bate trips . . . excused from school  
 . . . Judges . . . convince . . . time is  
 up! . . . questioning . . . ratings . . .  
 prepare your argument . . . Notes . . .  
 index cards . . . Styles -- Oxford or  
 Oregon . . . 8-3-4 . . . 10-5 . . .  
 sharp wits . . . Trophies . . . awards  
 . . . Forensics . . . District debate at  
 Patrick Henry . . . First Place! . . .  
 on to the state tournament at Charlottes-  
 ville . . .



Debbie Morgan

# will I be tapped during the assembly? . . .

## national honor society

Tapping . . . Citizenship . . . Scholarship  
 . . . Leadership . . . Service . . . grades  
 . . . Talent Show . . . Gold cords at grad-  
 uation . . .



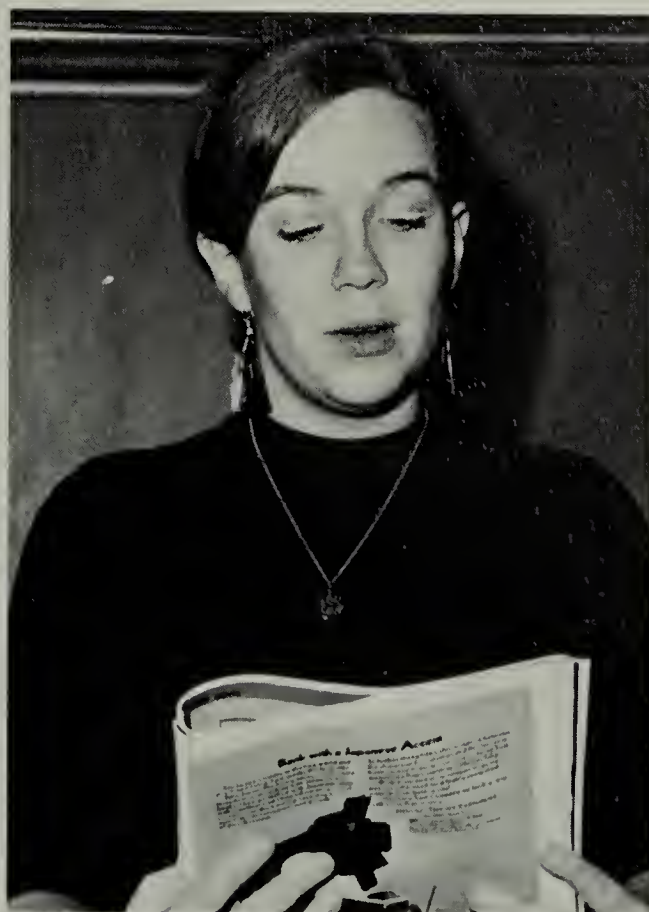
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J. Legard, M. Lester, B. McConnell, G. Miller, K.  
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 M. Owens, S. Owens, E. Pinkerton, S. Pinkerton, B.  
 Reed, B. Reynolds, C. Roberts, J. Shaffer, K. Shu-  
 man, T. Spencer, J. Stewart, J. Stout, M. Via, P.  
 Webster.





Chris Patton



Mary Webber



Kenny Shuman



1.



2.

1. Mr. Pigman congratulates Patricia Webster upon being tapped into the N.H.S. at the tapping assembly. 2. New members were honored at a tea sponsored by the N.H.S.



# after third period . . .

## distributive education

Jobs . . . one class before school . . .  
 leave after three classes! . . . East end  
 parking lot . . . D.E. classes . . . night  
 class . . . business management . . .  
 Minute-Ette . . . pay checks . . . secre-  
 taries . . . Appalachian Power Company  
 . . . bookkeepers . . . Inter-Mountain  
 Telephone Company . . . store clerks . . .  
 work at check-out counter . . . Piggly  
 Wiggly . . . salesmen . . . experience . . .



1. Mr. Elliott, D.E. teacher, instructs a student. 2. Of-  
 ficers: Pres. B. Anderson, V. Pres. A. Hicks, Sec. D.  
 Fulton, Treas. B. Bevins, Rep. C. Sweet, Sgt.-at-arms  
 J. Weddle, Parl. E. Barrett, Sponsor Mr. Elliott. Mem-  
 bers: A. Bateman, R. Baumgardner, J. Booth, D. Cau-

dell, S. Fields, F. Finch, T. Grant, D. Hall, A. Hearl,  
 C. Janson, K. Lowe, M. McCollum, J. Morrison, M.  
 Murray, P. Owens, S. Price, O. Rhoaten, R. Smith,  
 K. Sullins, H. Thomas, T. Urbani, J. Warren, H. Wed-  
 dle, J. Williams, R. Wilson, J. Wright.





## achieving goals . . .

### 4-h

Head . . . Heart . . . Hand . . . Health . . .  
 child care . . . raising animals . . . cooking  
 . . . sewing . . . decorating . . . farming . . .  
 horse shows . . . dairy judging . . . fashion  
 shows . . . crop judging . . . Tobacco Festival  
 . . . parade . . . float . . . warehouse . . .  
 trophies . . . blue ribbons . . . red ribbons  
 . . . white ribbons . . . Achievement Day . . .  
 Bristol . . . Spring Awards Day . . . Bobby Mc-  
 Connell crowned King . . . achievement records  
 . . . Blacksburg . . . Club Congress at V.P.I.  
 . . . short course . . . demonstrations . . .  
 talent . . . All Stars . . . Togetherness . . .



3. Girls' 4-H Club: C. Brannon, S. Culberson, V. Culberson, C. Denton, J. Harris, R. Hope, D. Montgomery, B. Parker, F. Pope, R. Pugh, K. Reed, M. Roberts, J. Singleton, D. Thayer, P. Thayer, B. Thomas, G. Vestal. Boys' 4-H Officers: Pres. B. McConnell, V. Pres. T. Goodman, Sec. J. Stewart, Rep. B. Williamson, Sgt. -

at-arms B. Lowe, Members: M. Abel, B. Arnold, D. Arnold, P. Campbell, G. Childers, D. DeFriece, J. Easterly, L. Harris, J. Hutton, D. Kaylor, W. Keller, B. Lloyd, S. Smith, J. Sprinkle, E. Vannoy, R. Widner, D. Yates. 4. Bobby McConnell, 4-H public speaking contest winner.



# styles change . . .

## yearbook staff

5th period . . . room 203 . . . Circulation  
 . . . Ads . . . Sports . . . Classes . . .  
 Clubs . . . Faculty . . . Academics . . .  
 Editors . . . Staff . . . Copy . . . Pictures  
 . . . camera trouble . . . "Oh, no!" . . .  
 retakes . . . "Stand where you were before"  
 . . . Identification . . . "who's that?" . . .  
 Decisions, decisions . . . Deadlines . . .  
 "will we ever be finished?" . . . 3-R forms  
 . . . work after school . . . work at Mrs.  
 Roberts' house . . . "no rest for the weary"  
 . . . Becky Reynolds and Patricia Webster  
 attend S.I.P.A. . . . First Place! . . . try  
 for a trophy next time . . . the school year  
 is drawing to a close . . . "Are all the  
 pages ready?" . . . a final check . . . "It  
 was a very good year" . . .



1. Editor-in-Chief Roger Morrell holds the fort. 2. Assistant Editor-in-Chief Beverly Elliott makes a point. 3. Sports editor Debbie Morgan and Academics editor Mary Webber confer on their sections. 4. Mrs. June Roberts sponsor checks pages. 5. Mike Lester business manager and Mac Patterson photographer take a break. 6. Eva Foster, Circulation manager, checks receipts. 7. Becky Reynolds, Ads manager, and Linda Ratliff, Groups editor, work on pages.





8. Pat Latham, Index editor, lists names for the Index. 9. Patricia Webster and Mary Katherine Grant, Individuals editors, finish 3-R forms.

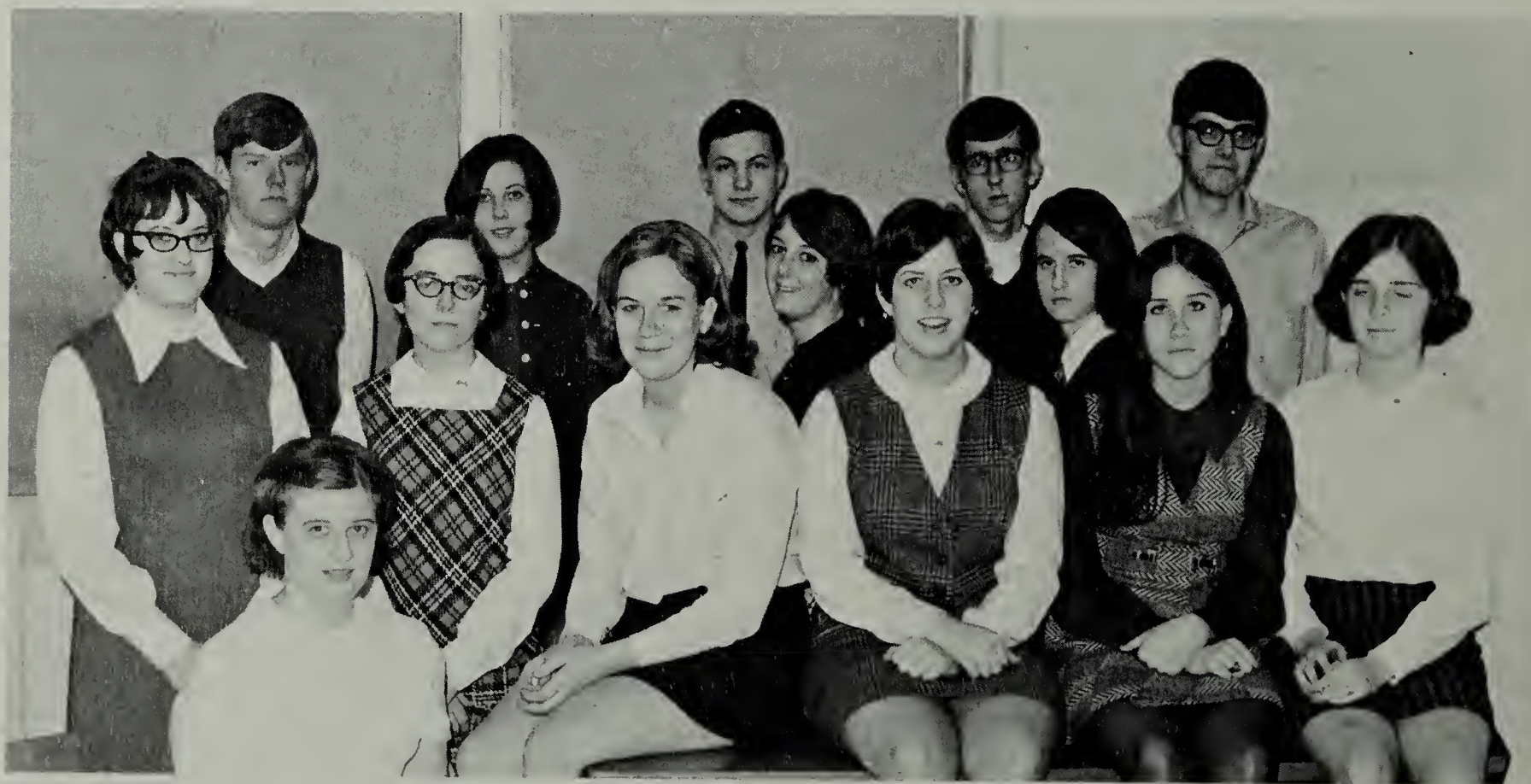






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## editors switch . . .

### newspaper staff

Who? . . . What? . . . When? . . .  
 Where? . . . Why? . . . How? . . .  
 Editorial changes . . . Ken Shuman  
 . . . Larry Ornduff . . . First edi-  
 tors . . . disagreements . . . New  
 look . . . new sponsor . . . new style  
 . . . Jim Dixon -- new editor . . .  
 dead lines . . . Saturdays . . . news  
 office . . . Need more news . . . By-  
 lines . . . "Nose for news" . . . Mis-  
 spelled words . . . leads . . . head-  
 lines -- POW . . . Double-space . . .  
 Reporters? . . . 15¢ . . . Editorials  
 . . . more disagreement . . . Fea-  
 tures . . . Critiques . . . Rewritten  
 articles . . . -30- . . .



1. Sponsor Mrs. Wagner and editor Jim Dixon examine the new edition. SITTING; F. Anderson, L. Ratliff, D. Munsey, R. Weisfeld, K. Swan, R. Humphreys, B. Reed. STANDING: Editor J. Dixon, Photographer M. Farris, B. Atkins, W. Dicks, G. McCormick, Sponsor Mrs. Wagner, Not pictured: J. Anderson, J. Stewart.

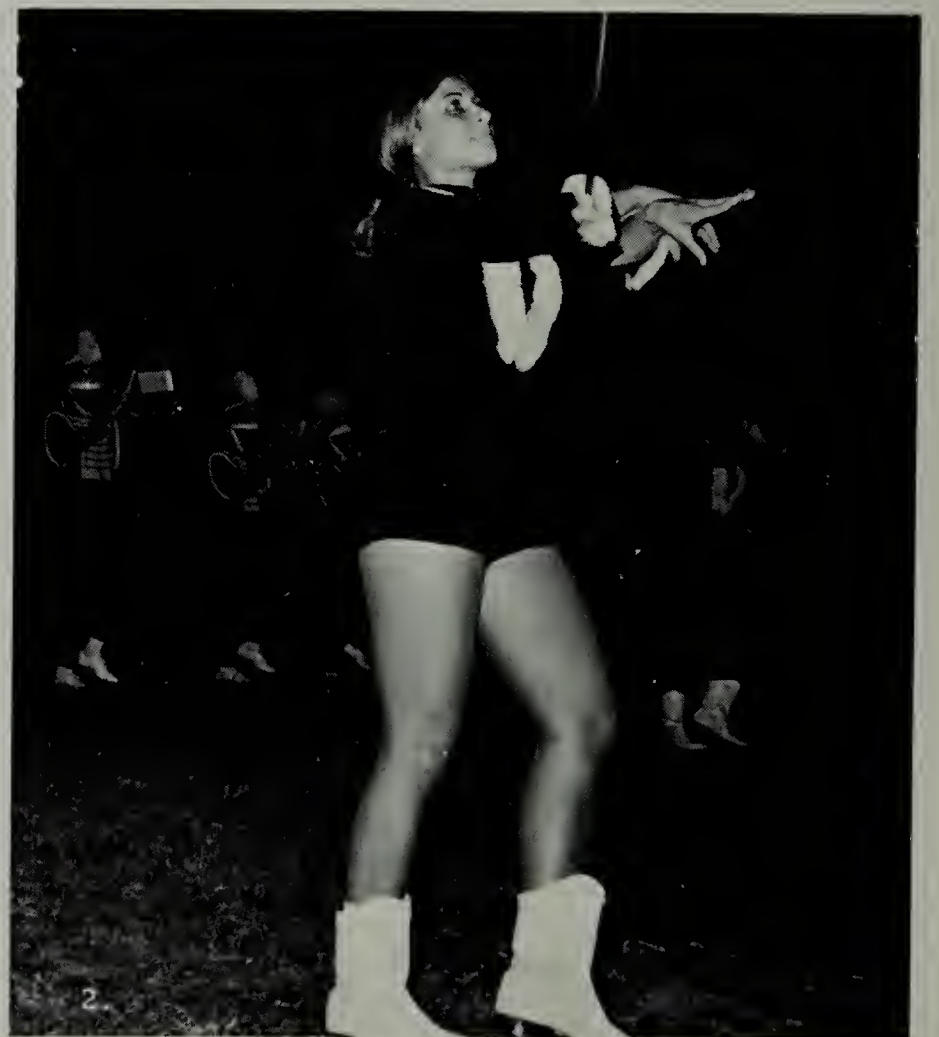
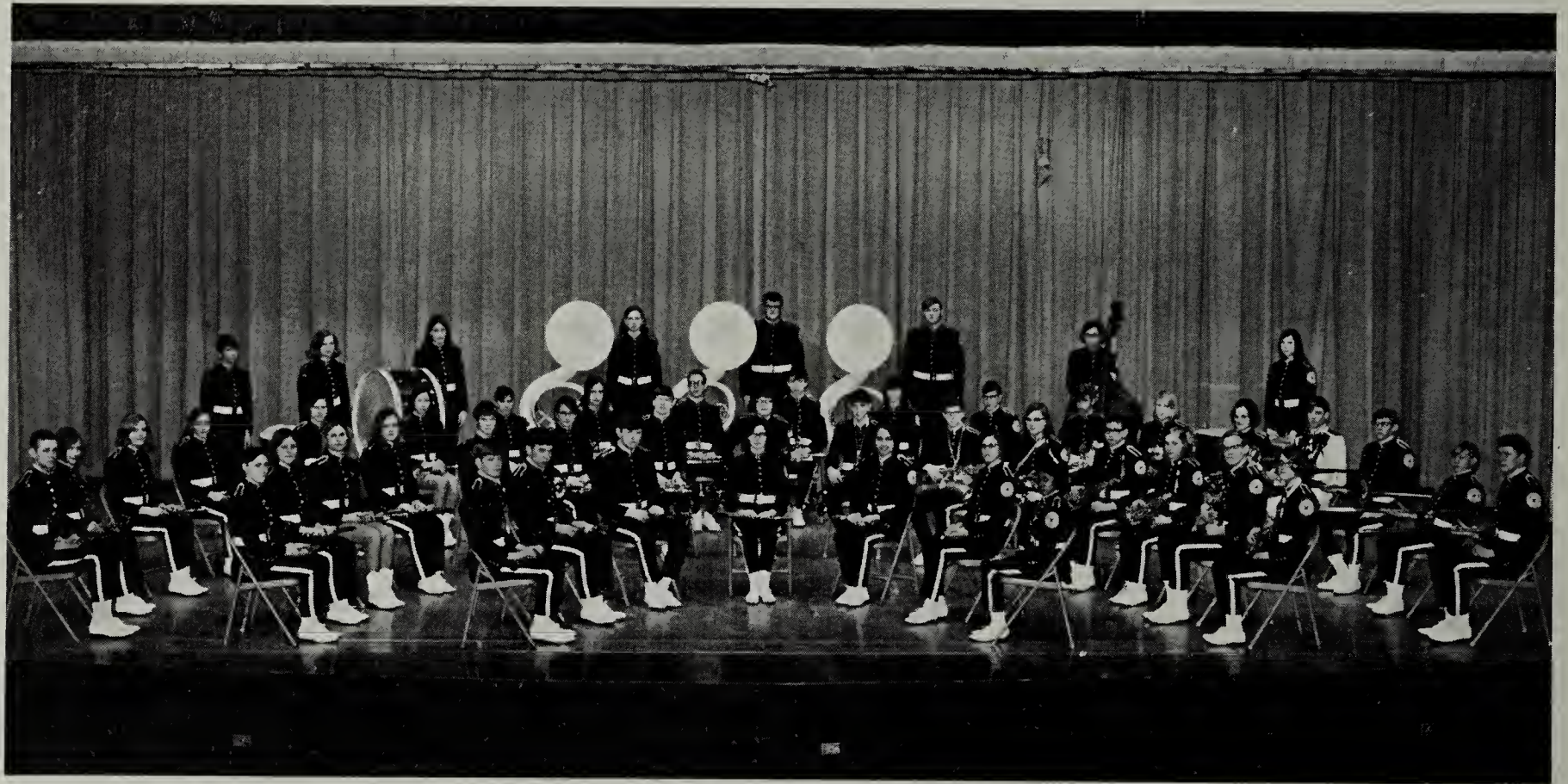


# an invitation from the governor . . .

## marching band

Band camp . . . morning drills . . . Gator  
Aid . . . First ball game . . . rain . . .  
field shows . . . pinwheels . . . "Barney

the Drum Major" . . . straight lines? . . .  
Chilhowie Apple Festival . . . parade . . .  
second place field show competition . . .







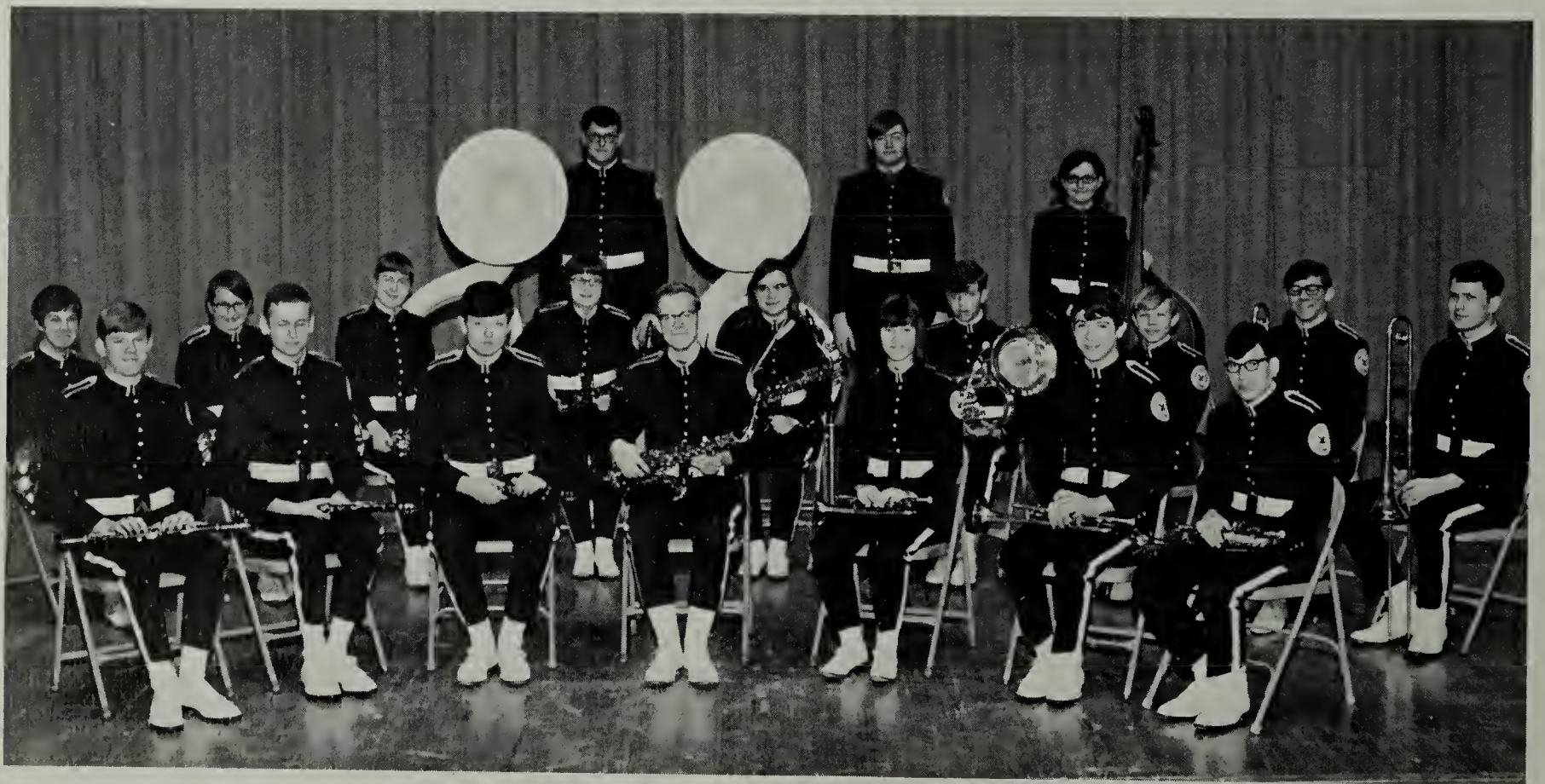
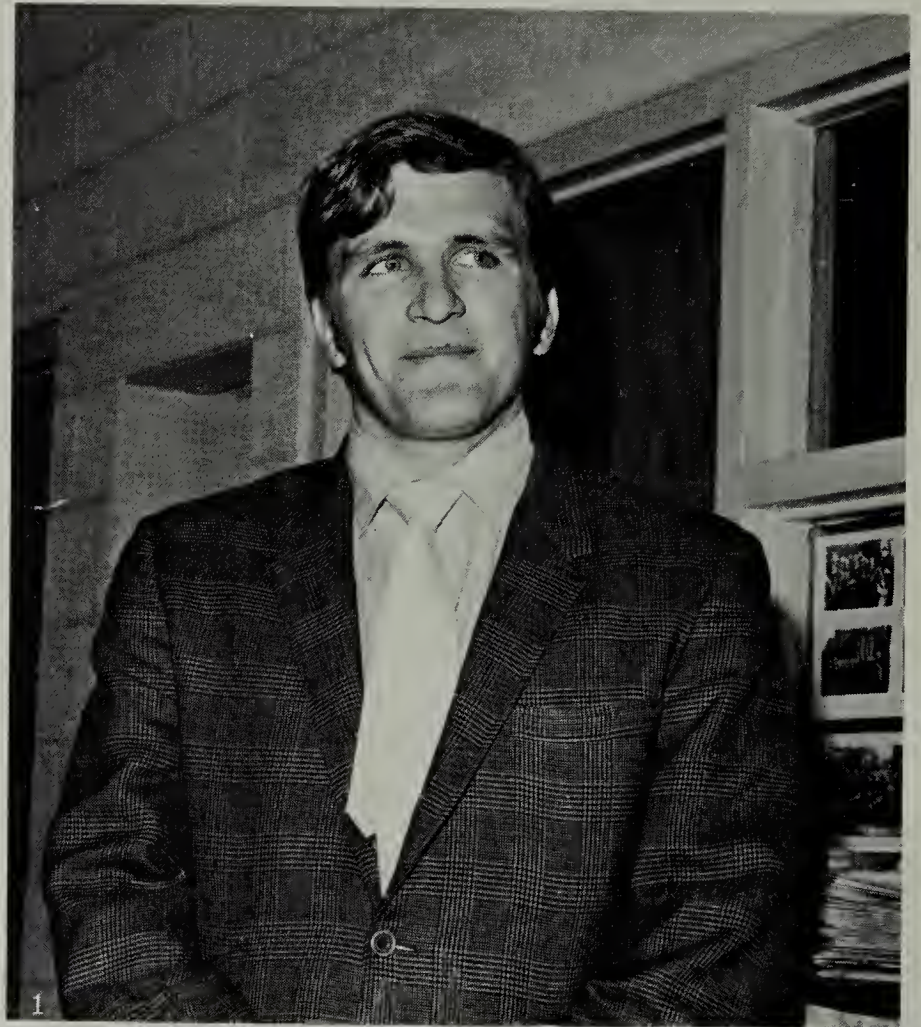
1. Billy Hagy, Drum Major, leads the band. 2. Amelia McCray, Head Majorette, twirls her baton. 3. The marching band displays new uniforms after the Governor's Inaugural Parade. 4. Band President, Ellen Pinkerton, places trophies in the new trophy case. 5. Majorette Kathy Prater. 6. Majorette Brenda Neese. 7. Majorette Archer Campbell.



# the musical falcons compile five trophies . . .

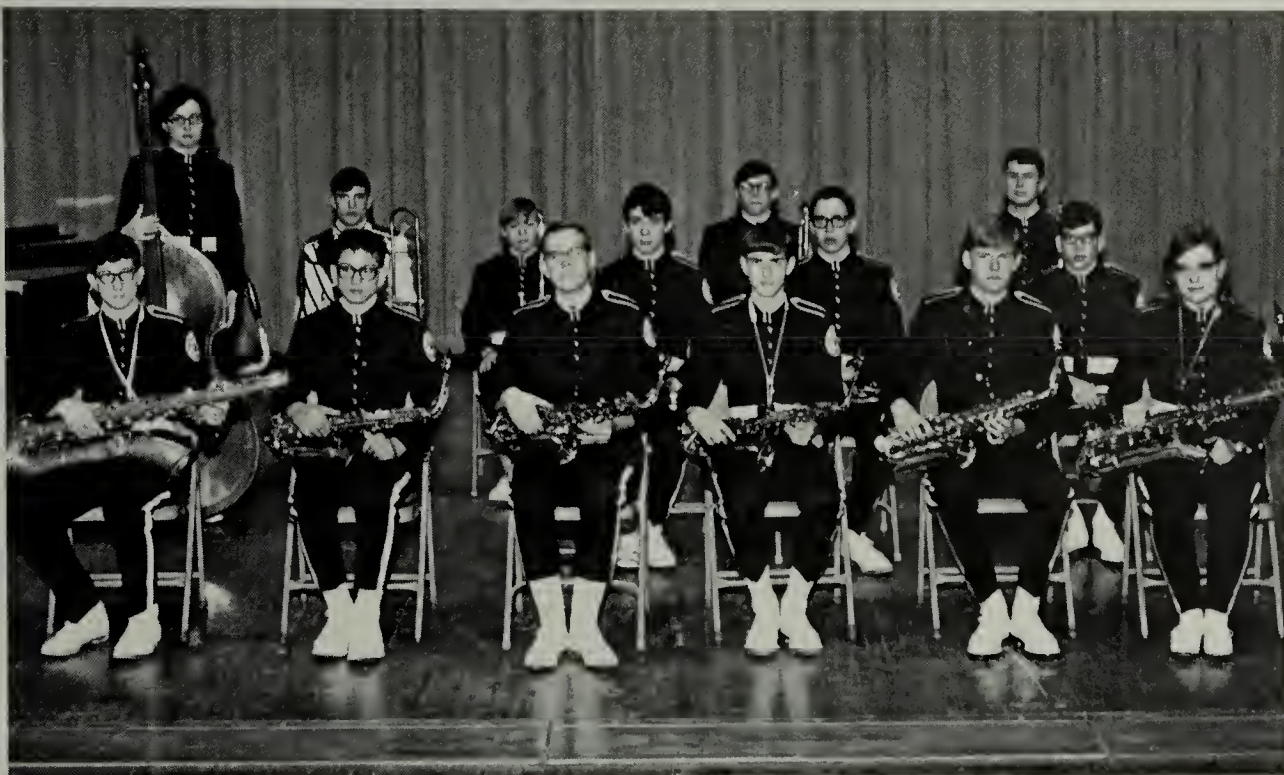
## marching and concert bands

Southeastern Band Festival held at Bristol . . . field show competition -- DIVISION I . . . Tobacco Festival . . . rain . . . "The Cigarette Song" . . . first place in parade competition . . . Saltville and Abingdon Christmas Parades . . . Last field show -- the senior members introduced . . . NEW UNIFORMS . . . Invitation to Richmond to the Governor's Inaugural . . . two-day trip . . . parade . . . waiting . . . The Knoxville Dogwood Arts Festival trip . . . HOT weather . . . Concert Band: . . . Christmas Concert . . . "Sleigh Ride" . . . Dance Band . . . Seating try-outs . . . All-County Band . . . All-Virginia West Band . . . six members selected from Abingdon . . . Ellen Pinkerton, John Dameron, and Mark Pearson -- try for All-Virginia Band . . . Spring Festival -- DIVISION I . . . Spring Concert . . . A good year . . .



All-County Band: -- FRONT ROW: R. Morrell, B. Howard, T. Morgan, G. Weller, G. Morrison, S. Kroll, J. Dameron, Williams, D. Pierce, S. Price, S. Wright, M. Pearson, SEC- THIRD ROW: R. Richardson, W. Herald, B. Collins.  
OND ROW: E. Pinkerton, C. Johnson, J. Craig, L. Butt, S.





Dance Band -- Front Row: L. Booth, K. Jenkins, D. Pierce, W. Hawley, R. Morrell, S. Morgan, Second Row: B. Collins, B. Hagy, G. Morrison, S. Wright, S. Kroll, P. Goble, J. Dameron, M. Pearson.

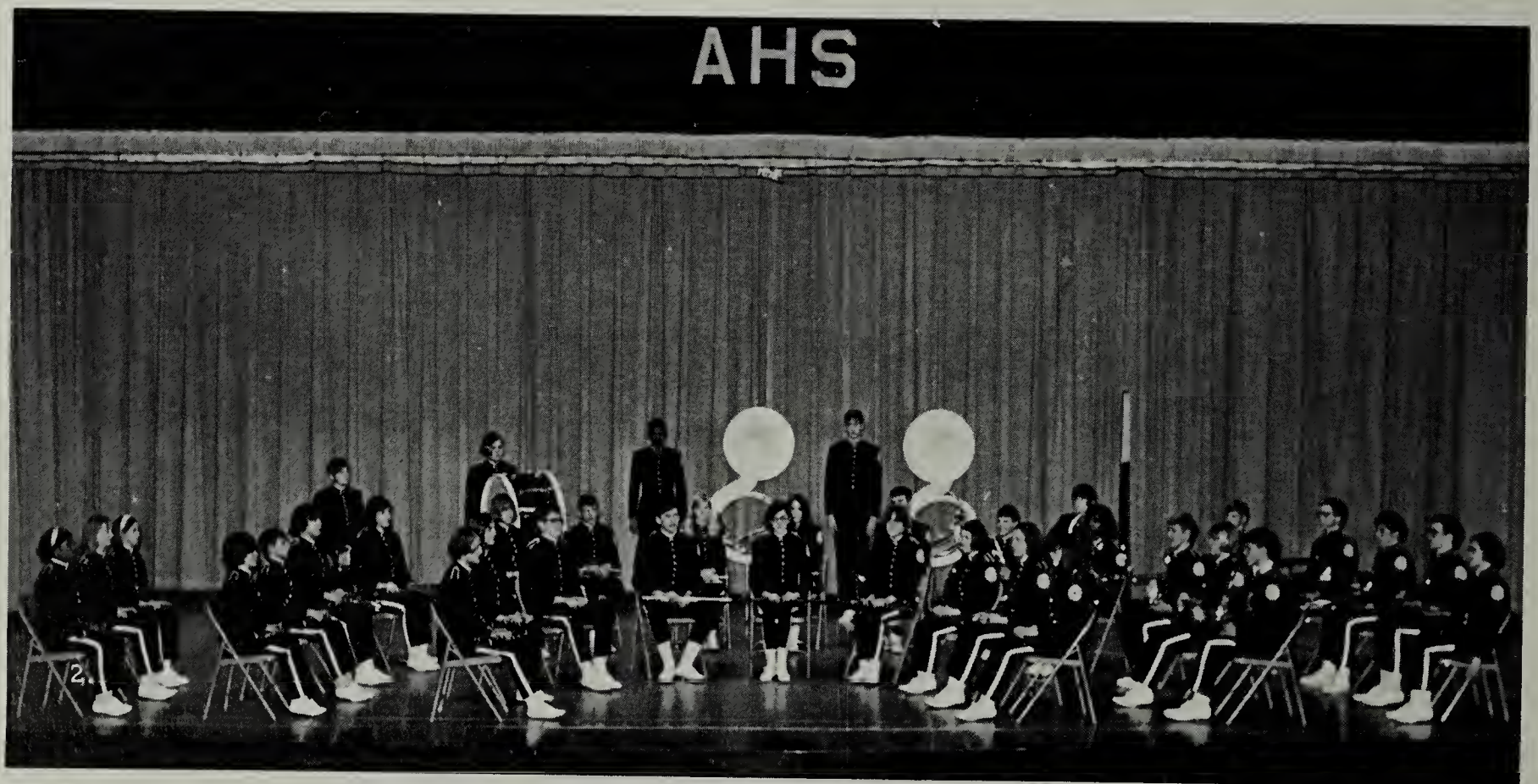


1. Band Director Mr. Mickey Tyler. 2. Randy Cole and Stan Carter practice for the Spring Concert. 3. Band Officers: Pres. E. Pinkerton, V. Pres. R. Morrell, Sec. S. Morgan, Drum Maj. B. Hagy, Head Maj. A. McCray, Director Mr. Tyler. 4. The Dance Band warms up before a program for the Band Boosters.



## band and chorus

1. All Virginia-West Band: Carol Johnson, Roger Morrell, Bobby McConnell, Mark Pearson, Ellen Pinkerton, John Dameron. 2. The "B" Band: V. Anderson, G. Barrow, L. Bartlett, E. Bowen, E. Bradley, C. Brannon, S. Carter, R. Cole, D. Doss, J. Easterly, L. Fleenor, K. Gentry, W. Gunnoe, G. Hagy, L. Harris, R. Hope, G. Johnson, J. Johnston, G. McCall, B. Mink, F. Moore, B. Parks, S. Pinkerton, F. Pope, K. Reed, B. Shaffer, K. Spivey, P. Stevens, S. Stone, E. Vanore, M. Via, R. Widner, B. Williamson, B. Wright. 3. John Dameron, second alternate in the All-State Band. 4. Marva Wheeler, first place winner in the Bland Music Contest.



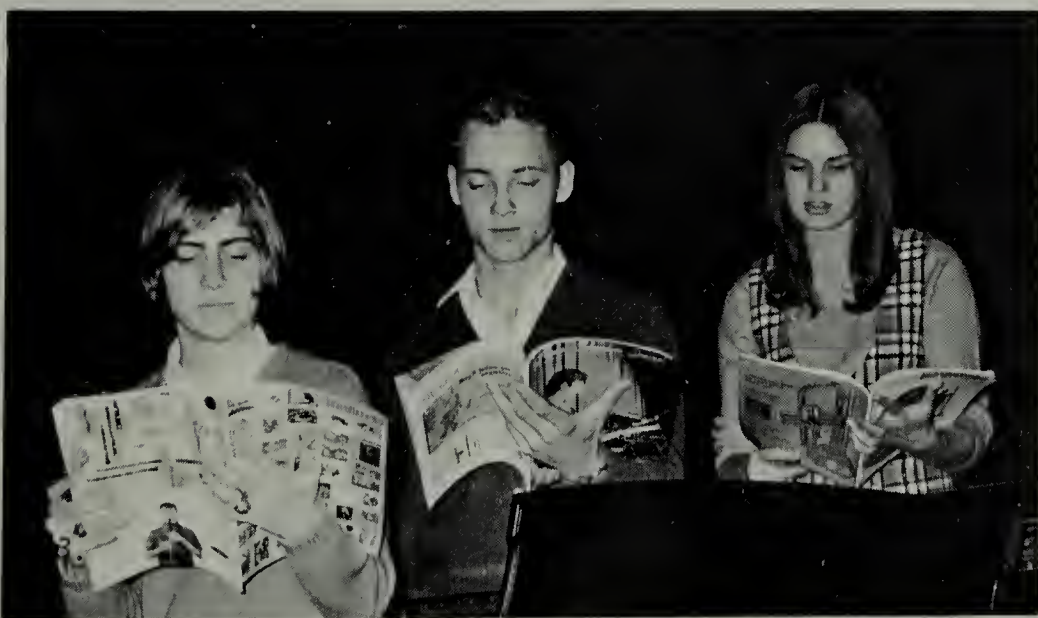




# everyone on key! . . .

## chorus

SING! . . . more bass . . . Christmas concert . . . more tenor . . . All Regional Chorus . . . more alto . . . Spring concert . . . more soprano . . . high A . . . squeak . . . Flats . . . Second soprano . . . Sharps . . . Second alto . . . Naturals . . . Do . . . louder . . . Re . . . softer . . . Mi . . . faster . . . "SIT UP!" . . . Timing . . . dynamics . . . "prak-ti" . . . Chords . . . harmony? . . . "OPEN YOUR MOUTH!" . . . scales . . . feet flat on the floor . . . too much air . . . "BREATHE!" . . . "Hah-ah-ah" . . . sore throats . . . Notes . . . music? . . . try-outs . . . Vibrating vocal chords . . . "Good!"? . . . Sign up for next year . . .



1. Marva Wheeler, accompanist, and Mr. Tyler, director. 2. FRONT ROW: N. Carter, C. Roberts, B. Reed, G. Fuller, C. Fleenor, A. Kite, B. Smith, G. Price, E. White, P. McCray, J. Fields, D. Johnston. SECOND ROW: M. Singleton, J. Baumgardner, P. McCray, Z. Fulton, L. Ratliff, C. Jarrell, S. Harris, V. Abell, S. Campbell, L. Widener, D. Harvey, D. Brown. THIRD ROW: C. Patton, D. Mathews, J. Ross, J. Price, S. Thompson, S. Quentin, K. Singleton, P. Latham, B. Parks, C. Jackson, C. McCracken, G. Sales. FOURTH ROW: J. Barker, B. McConnell, C. Anderson, J. Legard, M. Davidson, R. Copeland. 3. Carol Roberts, soprano; Bobby McConnell, tenor; and Brenda Smith, alto; attended All-Regional Chorus.



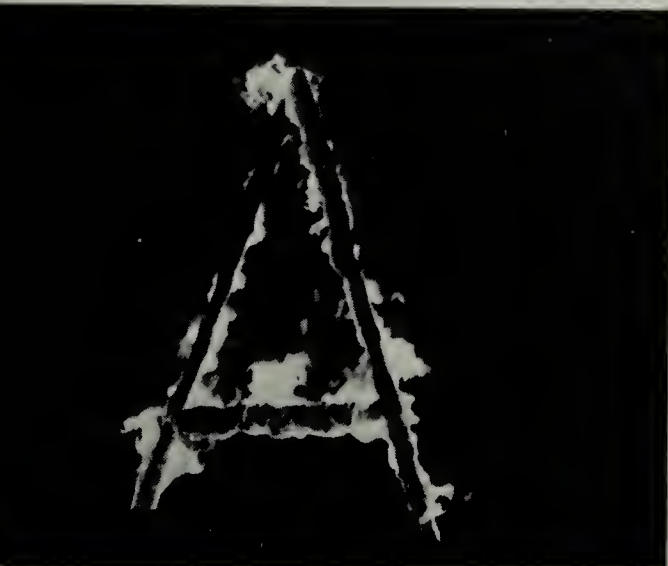
a time for remembering . . .





## happenings

Dances . . . Plays . . . Beauty pageants  
. . . Homecoming . . . remember . . . A  
lot of work . . . a lot of excitement . . . a  
lot of fun . . . sad times . . . happy times  
. . . Honors . . . the best in sports, aca-  
demics, and clubs . . . Graduation . . .  
Junior-Senior Prom . . . Senior Banquet  
. . . Special events . . . a time for remem-  
bering -- a time for living . . .

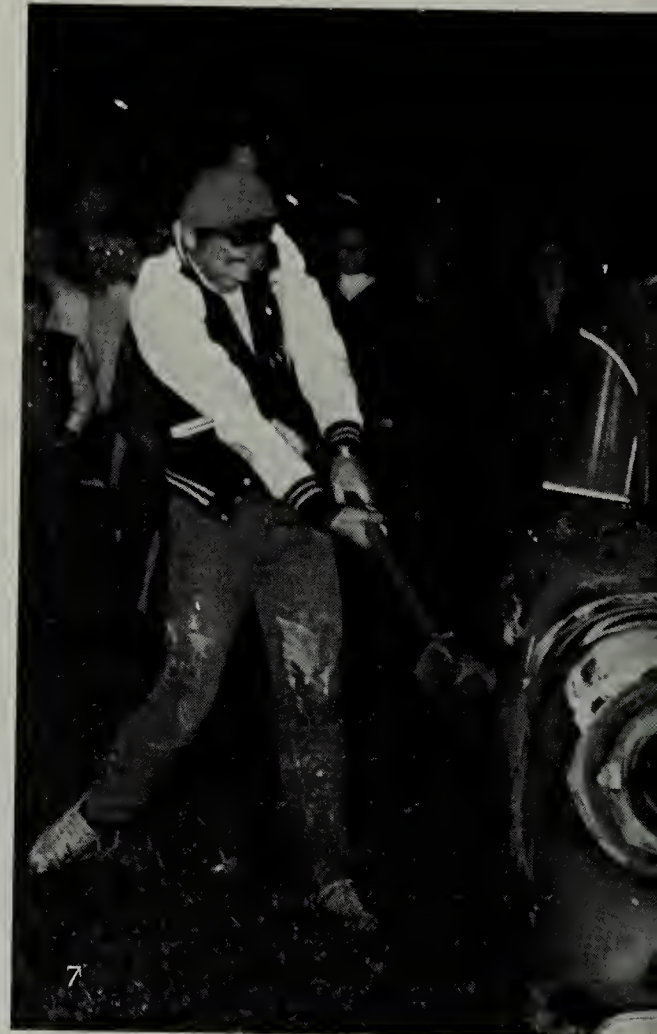
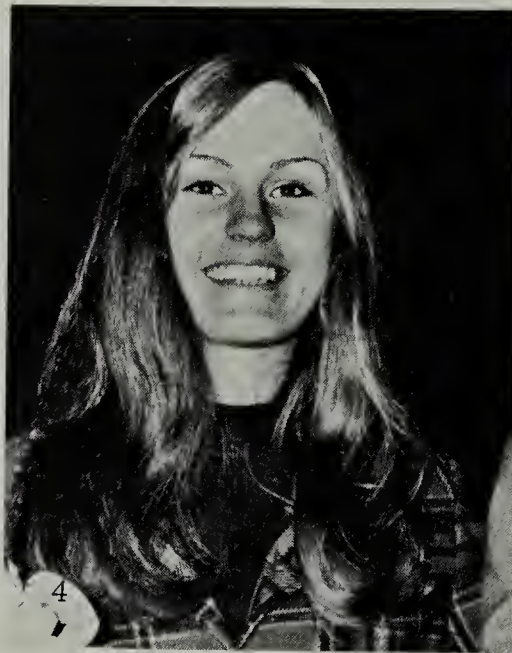
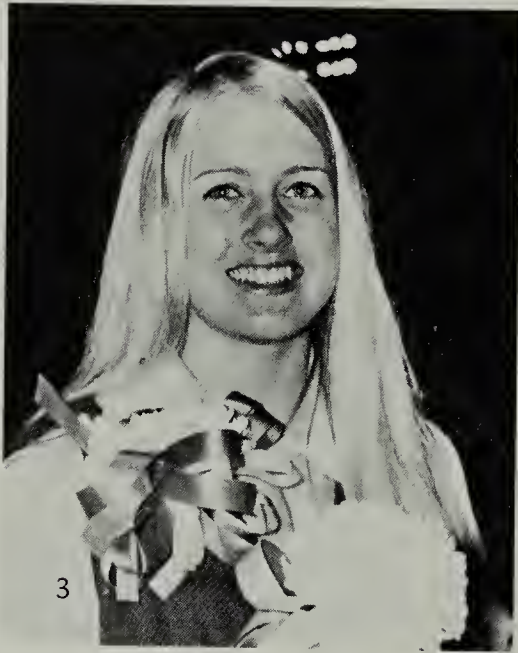


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1. C. Smith 2. A. Morgan 3. K. Kreger 4. D. Brown

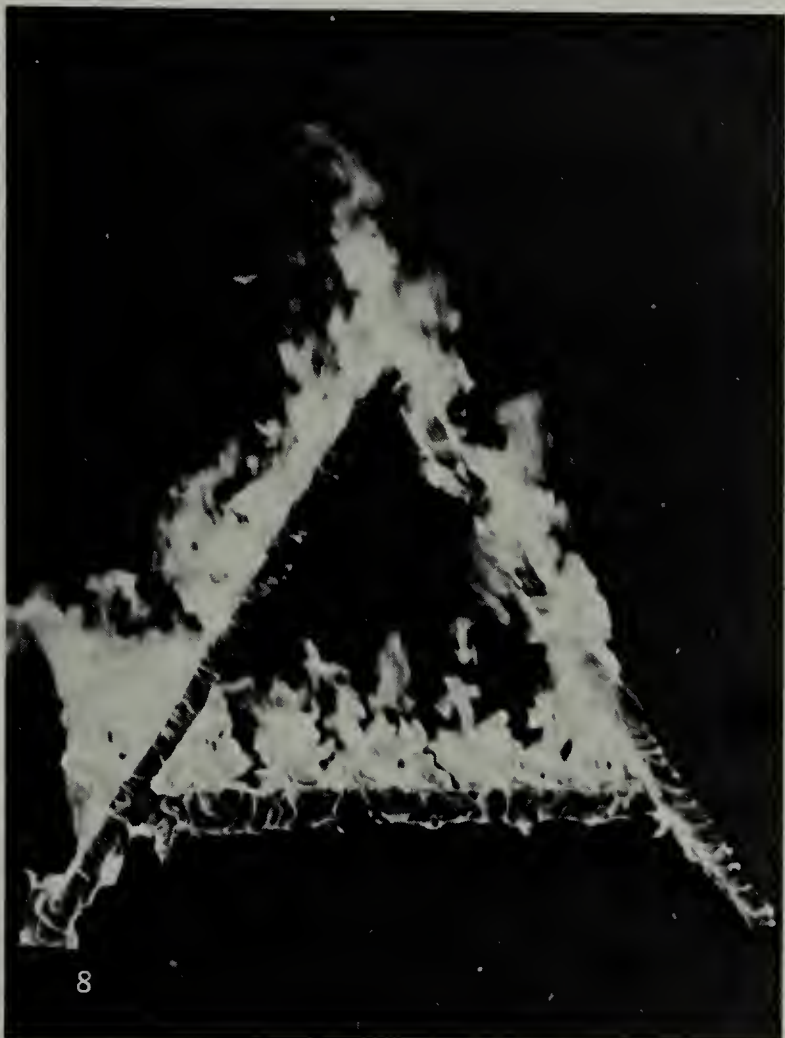


5. K. Morgan 6. E. Foster 7. Dan Mathews bashes the car during the bonfire ceremonies. 8. the flaming "A" 9. Jim Anderson runs for a touchdown while Dan Mathews

blocks during the game. 10. Debbie Brown is crowned Queen and kissed by co-captains Tommy Blevins and Dan Mathews. 11. B. Smith 12. P. South.

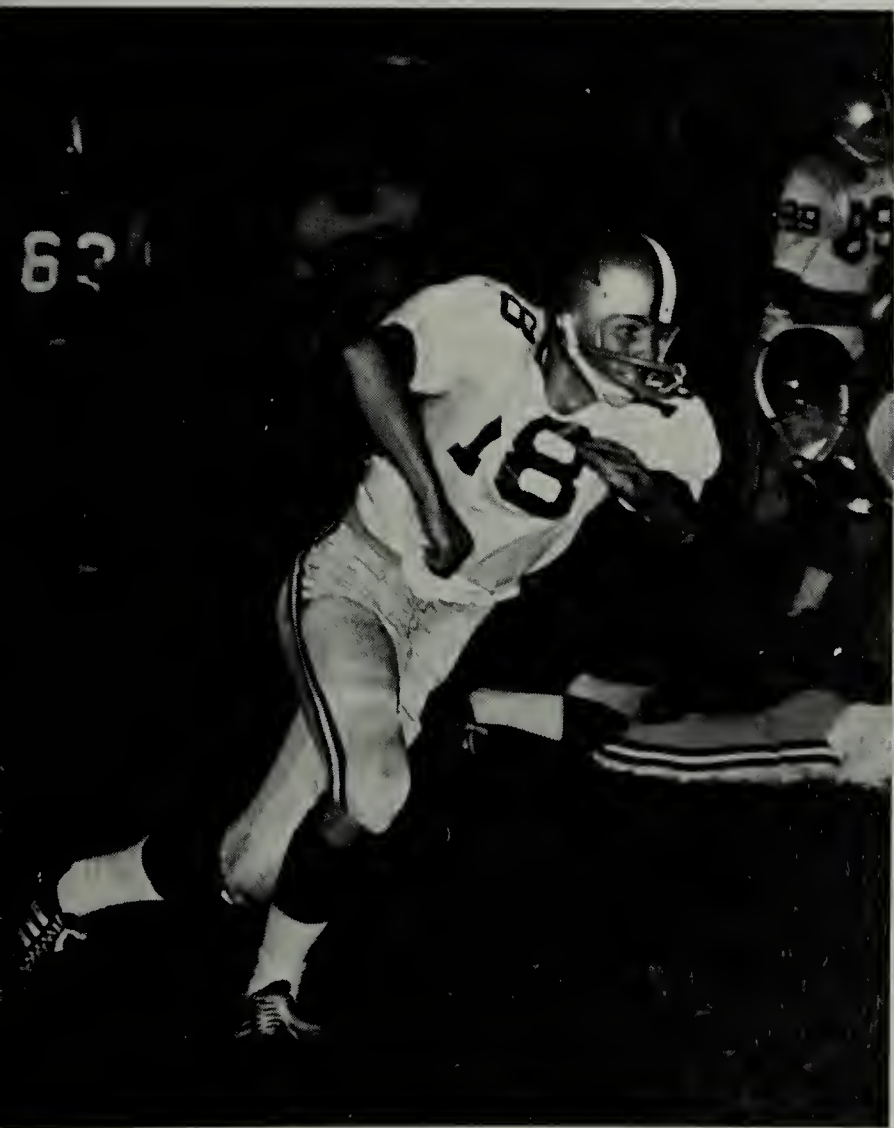






## a flaming "a" . . . homecoming

October 16 . . . Bonfire . . . cheers . . . go-o-o, Blue!  
B-E-A-T Shakers! . . . flaming "A" . . . "It's on fire!"  
. . . flames soaring into the sky . . . the old car . . .  
"Hit it, Dan!" . . . October 17 . . . the football game  
. . . mums . . . alumni home from college . . .  
"Here comes the team!" . . . Yea, Blue! . . . the kick  
off . . . down the field . . . halftime . . . 1969 Home-  
coming Court -- members chosen by the school . . .  
Queen chosen by the team . . . Debbie Brown 1969 queen  
. . . a kiss -- no, 2 kisses from the co-captains . . . the  
game is over . . . defeat -- Saltville 16, Abingdon 6 . . .  
After the game a dance . . . Homecoming 1969 ended . . .





dances . . .  
time  
for  
relaxing . . .



1. Students enjoy the music at a sock hop after the Patrick Henry football game. 2. The Student Council sponsors the annual Homecoming dance. 3. Drema Wygal, Snow Queen, and Billy Hagy, Snow King, reign during the Interact sponsored Christmas dance. 4. Sandy Owens, Daisy Mae, and Randy Kelly, Little Abner, were selected by penny votes to be the top two citizens of Dogpatch at the Civinette sponsored Sadie Hawkins Dance. 5. Debbie Brown, Charlie Smith, and Becky Roberts talk during intermission at the Sadie Hawkins Dance.





September 18, October 10, October 31 . . .  
Future Homemakers sponsored . . .

### homecoming dance

After the Saltville football game . . . mums  
. . . Paper Footballs for decorations . . .  
a good time . . .

### sadie hawkins dance

November 22 . . . Go "hillbilly" . . .  
Rounding up Twirp Week . . . brown and  
yellow crepe paper . . . a sock of money  
for the best-dressed couple . . . band --  
"The Soulful Strut" . . . newspaper table  
cloths . . . jeans . . . jugs . . . jargon  
. . . bobbing for apples . . . cornstalks  
. . .



### christmas dance

December 13 . . . Christmas tree . . .  
Snow Queen and Snow King chosen by penny  
votes . . . Spray "snow" on the windows  
. . . Band backing out at the last minute . . .  
new band takes other's place . . . mistletoe  
. . . Santa Claus makes a visit . . . crepe  
paper . . . punch ran out . . . Interact's  
Christmas present to the school . . .



# more dancing . . .

## valentine dance

February 14 . . . red and white decorations . . . "The Lost Soul" . . . Key Club sponsored . . . Queen Phyllis South, Court: Karen Morgan, Donna Maiden, Paula Dunn, and Sally Pinkerton . . . crowning too early . . . little hearts on the wall . . . long streamers with hearts taped on . . . Saturday night . . . "Cupid's on the move!" . . . a very good time . . .

## spring formal

April 11 . . . flowers, flowers everywhere . . . pink and yellow crepe paper . . . "The Soulful Strut" . . . A flowing fountain . . . ivy . . . a little bridge . . . "Spring Fever" . . . Randy Copeland and his hat . . . 1970 May Queen Debbie Morgan . . . Where have all the flowers gone? . . . the Dancers picked them every one . . .



1. The 1970 Valentine Queen Phyllis South.

2. Students enjoy the Valentine Dance.





3. The May Court: Debbie Roark, Susan Hill, Mary Webber, Jane Stout, Queen Debbie Morgan, Karen Morgan, Esther White, Delores Lewis, and Charlsie Smith. 4. The 1970 May Queen Debbie Morgan smiles after being crowned. 5. Terri Fields talks to friends at the Spring Formal sponsored by the National Honor Society.



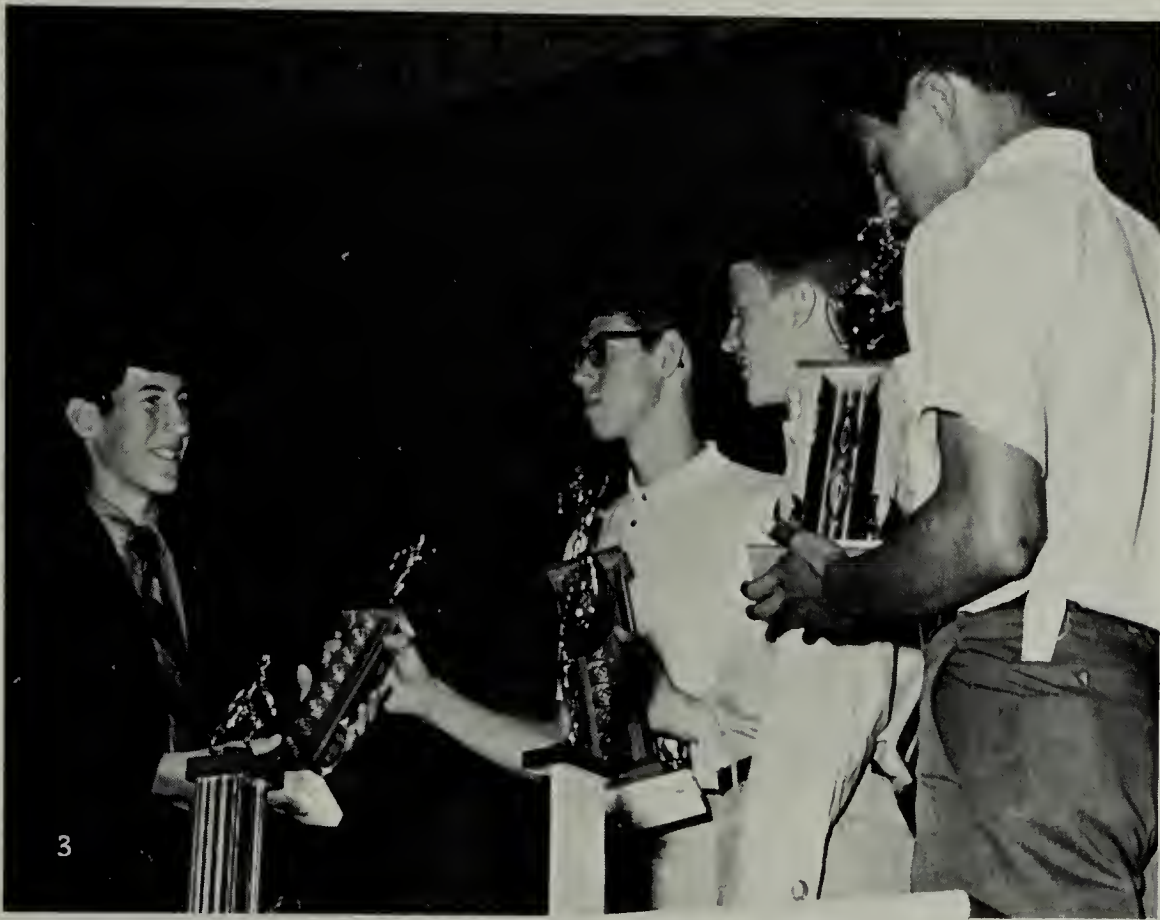
# the best . . .

## sports banquet and awards

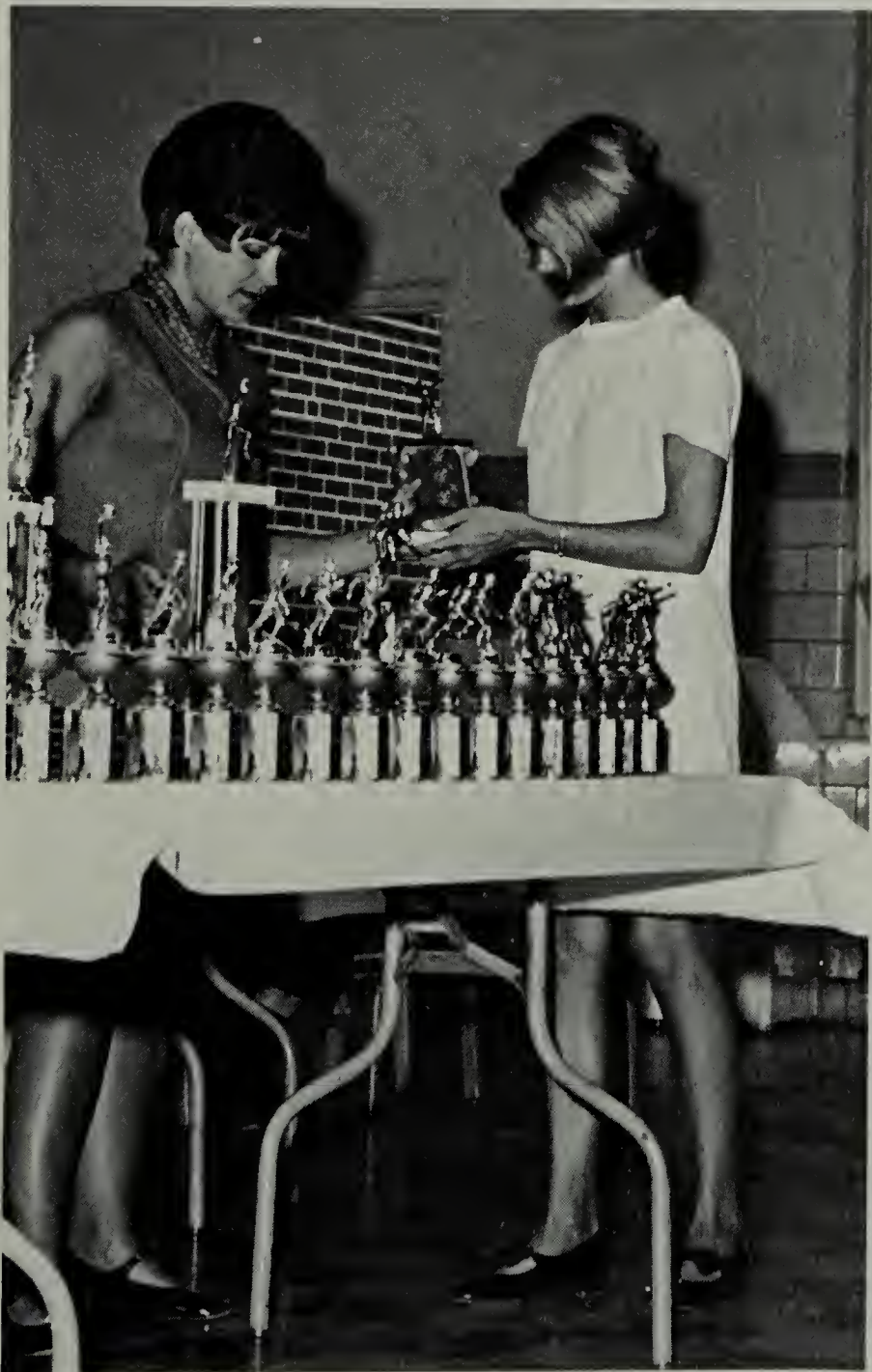
May 28, 1970 . . . Assembly Awards . . .  
 Mile relay team -- Bill Carmack, Mac Patterson, Preston Stevens, and Ken Brown  
 . . . fourth in state . . . Physical Firness  
 and Good Sportsmanship Award -- Debbie  
 Brown . . . Most Athletic Girl -- Shelia  
 Thompson . . . Most Athletic Boy -- Tom  
 Fugate . . . Banquet Awards . . . Baseball:  
 Most Valuable -- Dan Mathews, Highest Bat-  
 ting Average -- Tom Fugate, Basketball:  
 Most Improved -- Jack Clark, Most Valuable  
 -- Tim Spencer, Highest Foul Percentage --  
 Dan Mathews, Football: Most Improved:  
 Freshman -- George Pope, Sophomore --  
 Gary McCormick, Junior -- Dean Price and  
 Preston Stevens, Senior -- Joe Shaffer, Joe  
 Latture Blocking Award -- Tom Blevins,  
 Track: Most Improved -- Tom Blevins,  
 Most Valuable -- Preston Stevens, Most  
 Outstanding Performer -- Tom Fugate, Mr.  
 Track -- Mac Patterson, Wrestling: Most  
 Improved -- Andrew Hounshell, Outstanding  
 Wrestler -- Tom Blevins. Danny Counts  
 Award -- Dan Mathews, Jack Musser Mem-  
 orial Award -- Tom Fugate, Sportsmanship  
 -- Joe Shaffer . . .



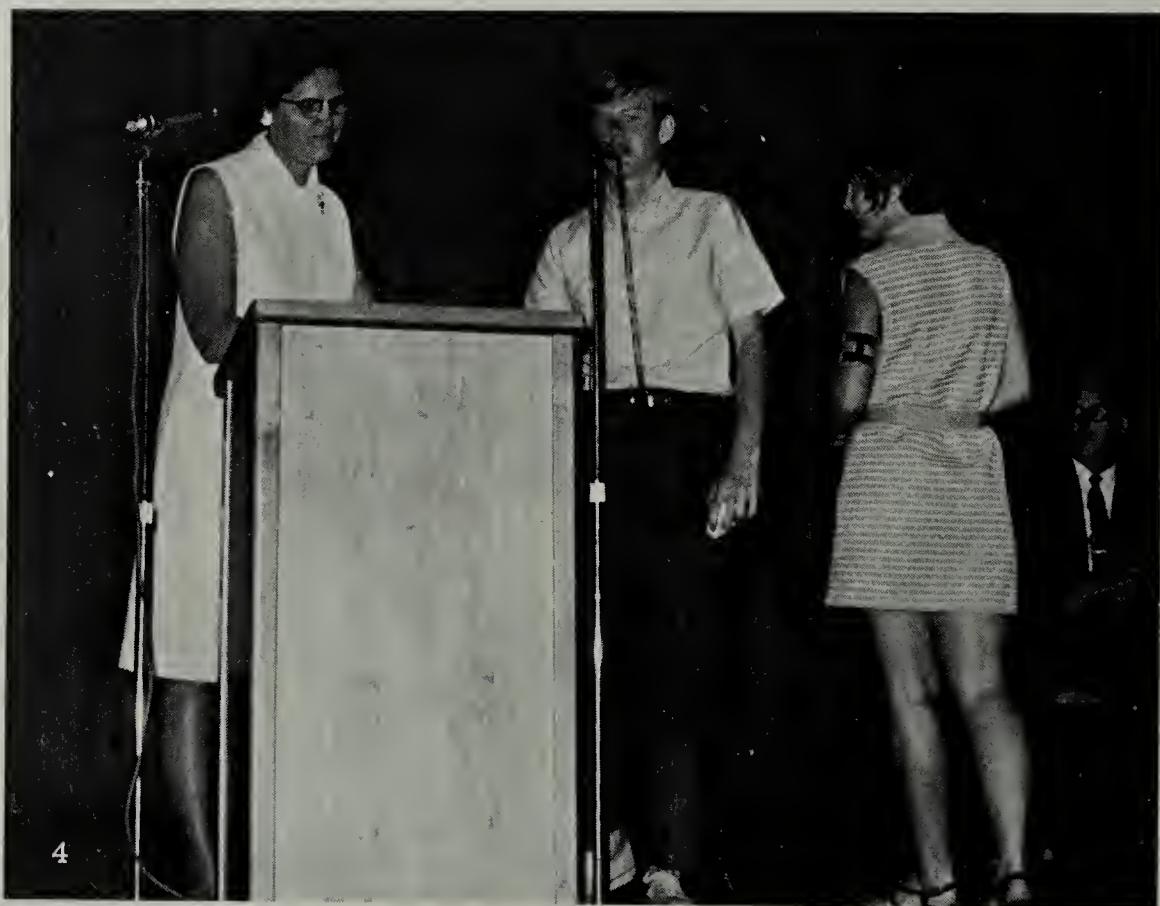




1. Mr. Alf Satterfield Offensive Line Coach at Virginia Tech speaks at the All-Sports Banquet. 2. Award Winners: FRONT ROW: Dan Mathews, George Pope, Shelia Thompson, Gary McCormick, and Tom Fugate. SECOND ROW: Preston Stevens, Joe Shaffer, Jack Clark, Andrew Hounshell, Tim Spencer, Dean Price, Mac Patterson, Bob Caudell, and Tom Blevins. 3. Mac Patterson, Preston Stevens and Tom Fugate present Lindy Seamon trophies for The First Place in The Abingdon Relays, First place in Washington County and First Place in the District for Track. Other trophies presented to the school were for First Runner-Up in Baseball and First Runner-Up in Golf in District Competition. 4. Miss Wallace presents Shelia Thompson the Five-Year Cheerleader Award. 5. Falcon players who lettered in baseball wait for their letters during the Sports Awards Assembly. 6. Mr. Pruitt presents Bob Caudell the Most Improved Baseball Player Award.









# interact and homemakers rate best . . .

## club awards and presentations

June 2, 1970 . . . Activity Awards Assembly . . . Arion Award -- Robert McConnell . . . Most Outstanding Distributive Education Student -- Bill Anderson . . . Band Monogram winners . . . Most Improved Senior in Home Economics -- Brenda Crosswhite . . . Most Outstanding Senior in Home Economics -- Marsha Via . . . Future Business Leaders of America Scholastic Award -- Betty Parks . . . Student Council Home-room Representatives Certificates . . . Yearbook Awards -- Beverly Elliott and

Roger Morrell . . . National Honor Society Scholarships -- Faye Anderson and David Denton . . . Civinette Scholarship -- Gail Fuller . . . Future Teachers of America Scholarship -- Marsha Via . . . Best Club Awards: Subject -- Centered -- Future Homemakers of America, Honorable Mention -- Future Teachers of America; Service Club -- Interact Club, Honorable Mention -- Civinette Club . . . Best Library Club Member -- Brenda Blackwell . . .



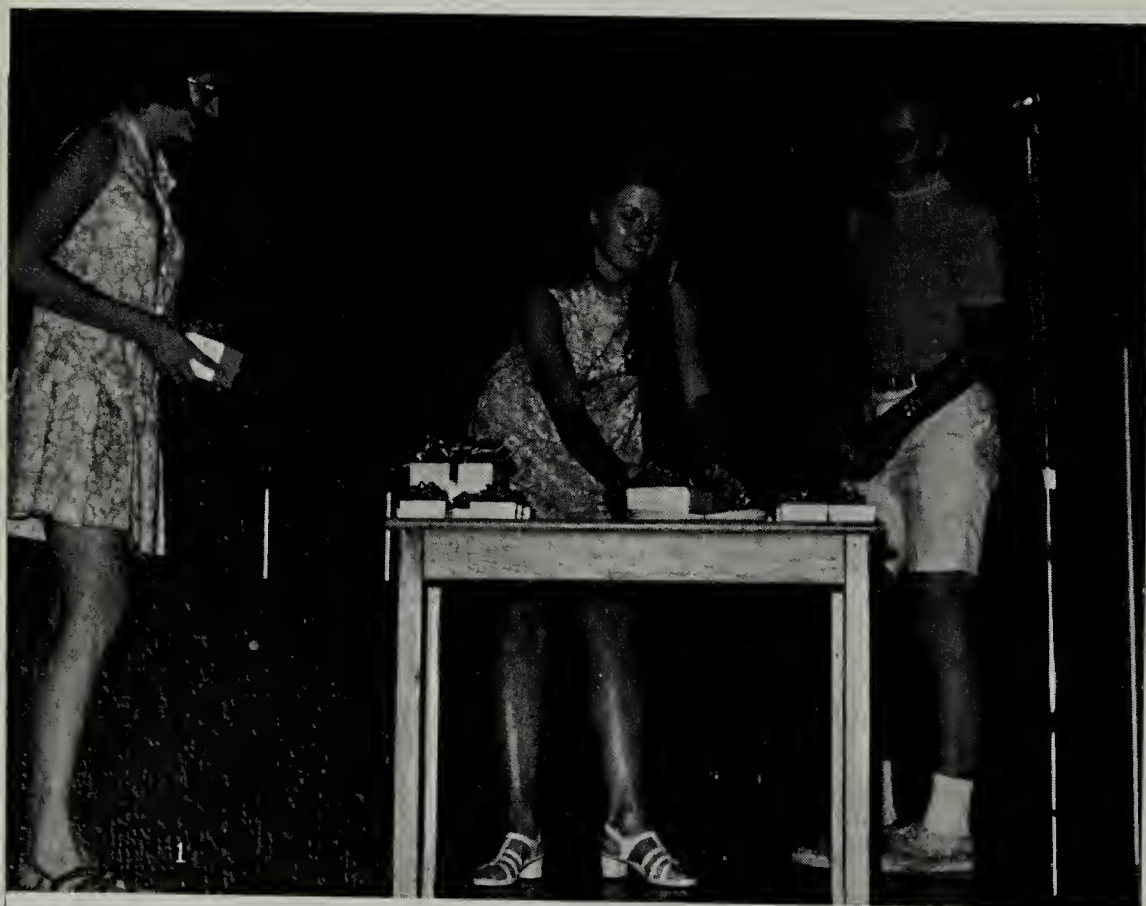
1. Mrs. Southerlin awards Faye Anderson a National Honor Society scholarship. 2. Mr. Seamon presents Bill Anderson the Most Outstanding Distributive Education Award. 3. Mr. Coleman is named "Teacher of the Year" by David Denton Interact president. 4. Mrs. Roberts presents medals for yearbook work to editor Roger Morrell and assistant editor Beverly Elliott. 5. Marsha Via accepts the Most Outstanding Senior in Home Economics Award from Mrs. Hargroves. 6. Mr. Preston announces the Future Homemakers of America as the best subject-centered club with a certificate to the club president Wanda Bailey. 7. David Denton receives a certificate for the best service club as president of the Interact Club from Mr. Preston. 8. Roger Morrell was chosen one of the twelve delegates from Virginia to attend the 1970 Y. M. C. A. Conference on National Affairs. Beverly Elliott was chosen Junior Civinette of the Year of the region.



# scholarships, essays, debates and speeches . . .

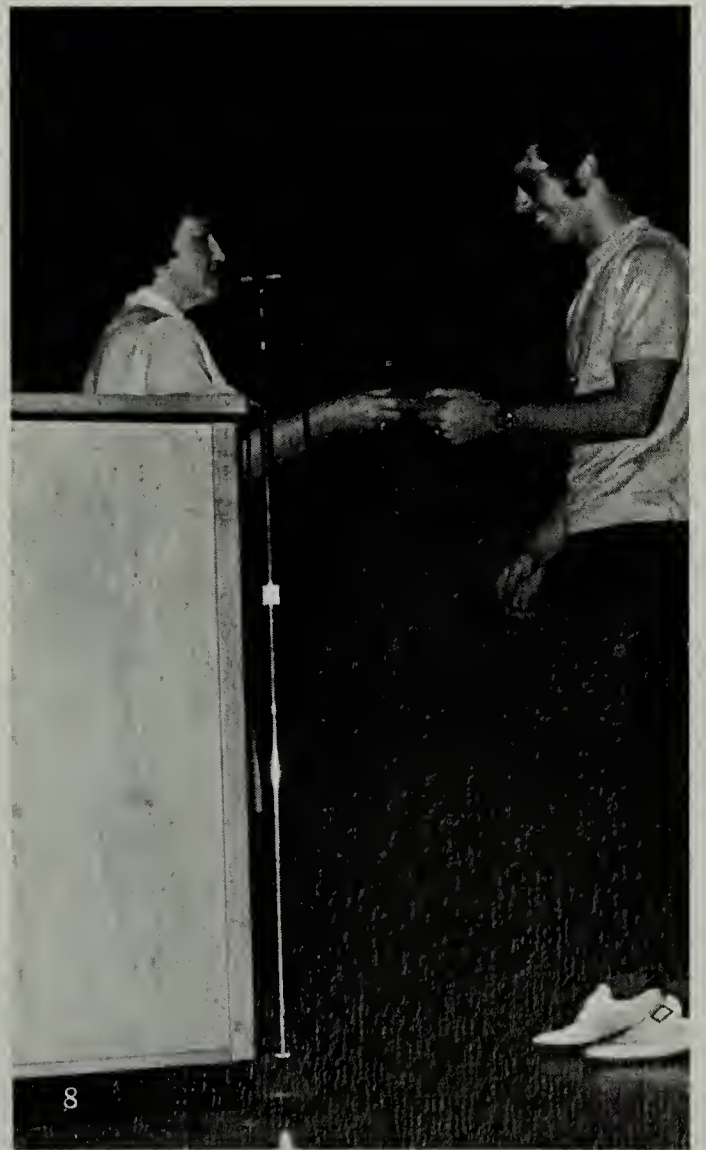
## academic awards

June 2, 1970 . . . Academic Assembly . . .  
 County Business Certificates . . . Science  
 and Math Award -- David Denton . . .  
 Dramatics Awards -- Jim Dixon and Shelia  
 Thompson . . . "Courage Award" -- Bill  
 Atkins . . . Scholarships: Senior Class --  
 Roger Morrell and Karen Morgan, Junior  
 Woman's Club -- Mary Self . . . William  
 King P.T.A. -- Randy Kelly and Betty Pip-  
 pin Abingdon P.T.A. -- Johnny Singleton  
 and Pat Latham, Washington County Nation-  
 al Bank -- John Legard, Student Council --  
 Doris Campbell, and Anonymous -- Betty  
 Parks . . . Eighth Grade D.A.R. Awards  
 -- Susan May and Debbie Chafin . . .  
 D.A.R. Citizenship Awards -- Karen Mor-  
 gan and Eva Foster . . . Kiwanis Award --  
 Dan Mathews . . . Rotary Award -- Karen  
 Morgan . . .



1. Esther White, National Honor Society president, presents Gail Johnson and Lewis Harris the awards for the highest scholastic averages in the eighth grade.
2. State Forensic Winners: Extemporaneous Speaking -- Larry Ornduff, third place; Eva Foster, second place; and Spelling -- Anne Austin, third place.
3. Betty Parks receives the Future Business Leaders of America Scholastic Award from Mrs. Robinson.
4. Susan Hill won first place in the school "Voice of Democracy" essay contest and second place in district competition.





5. Winners in the wildlife essay contest: FRONT ROW: Roger Morrell, twenty-five dollars; Debbie Roark, five dollars; Esther White, ten dollars; All five dollars Wanda Page, Drema Wygal, SECOND ROW: Dick Dudley, Billy Blackwell, Rhonda Minnick, and Avil Graybeal. 6. Gail Fuller receives the Civinette Scholarship from Mrs. Yearly. 7. The Debate Team placed third in State Competition: Mary Webber, Chris Patton, Debbie Morgan, and Ken Shuman. 8. Bobby accepts the senior grand award in the school science fair from Mrs. Flanagan.



# remember when . . .

## senior play

"Cheaper by the Dozen" -- by  
 Christopher Sergel . . . November  
 21 . . . "The Senior Class Presents"  
 . . . Wait! That's not the beginning  
 . . . It all started earlier . . . try-  
 outs . . . the cast . . . rehearsals  
 . . . Practice makes perfect? . . .  
 "H.R." wets on the floor . . .  
 "Johnny, it's your cue!" -- Roger and  
 Shelia blush . . . "This make up is  
 sticky" . . . "My red dots are  
 smearing!" . . . family council --  
 "I call this meeting to order" . . .  
 "Is that of general interest?" . . .  
 Final performance . . . It's all  
 over . . .



## cast

Ernestine . . .	Libby Cox
Frank . . . . .	Chris Patton
Mr. Gilbreth. .	Jim Dixon
Anne . . . . .	Shelia Thompson
Martha . . . . .	Debbie Morgan
Bill . . . . .	John Legard
Lillian . . . . .	Esther White
Fred . . . . .	Steve Kroll
Jackie . . . . .	Marsha Via
Dan . . . . .	Randy Kelly
Mrs. Gilbreth .	Linda Ratliff
Joe Scales . . .	Ken Shuman
Dr. Burton . . .	Al Clark
Larry . . . . .	Roger Morrell
Miss Brill . . .	Rose Price
Sound Effects .	Barbara Parris
	Ellen Pinkerton
Scenery. . . . .	Dorinda Branson
Prop Manager .	Mary Self
Stage Lights . .	Bill Jaques
Tickets. . . . .	Marsha Via
Make Up . . . . .	Sylvia Gawryla







1. Dan (R. Kelly) speaks out against Dad during a family council. 2. Joe (K. Shuman) does a cheer, while Anne (S. Thompson) worries about Dad's coming in. 3. Frank (C. Patton) and Ernestine (L. Cox) open the play by reminiscing. 4. Mary Webber, assistant director, and Karen Morgan, class president, present Mrs. Wagner, director, gifts of appreciation. 5. Al Clark, Roger Morrell, Rose Price, and Ken Shuman take final bows. 6. Anne tries to make peace between Dad and Joe.





1. Dr. Mallory tries to persuade Joanna that she will be well soon. 2. Joanna and Sue count the last leaves on an outside wall. 3. Phil and Lenda Thorpe look at the "last leaf".



## the last leaf . . .

### one-act play

"The Last Leaf" by O. Henry . . . adapted by Robert Brome . . . after school practices . . . Mrs. Wagner's direction . . . painting scenery . . . "Make up your line if you forget" . . . March 11 -- District Festival held at Abingdon . . . Excellent Rating . . .

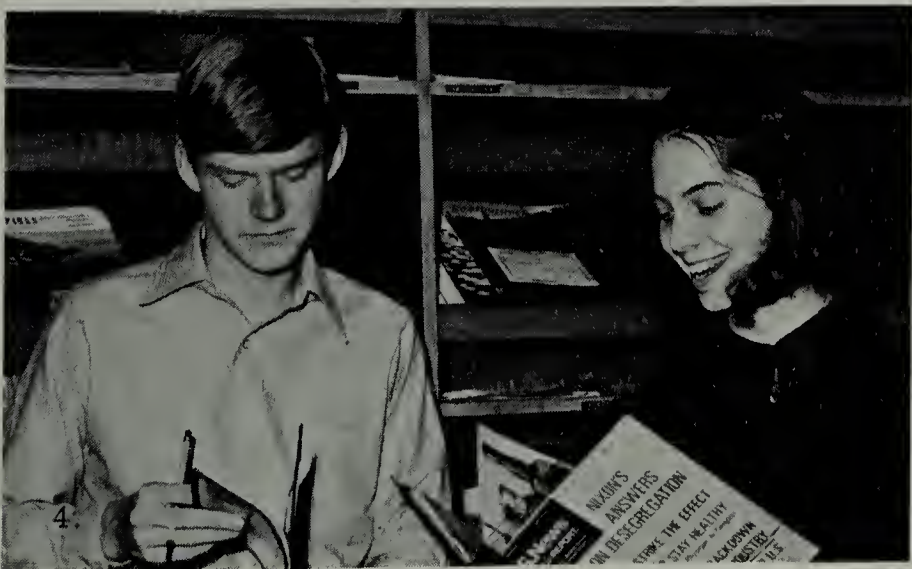
CAST: Sue Arenda -- Shelia Thompson . . . Joanna Price -- Debbie Morgan . . . Phil Thorpe -- Walter Dicks . . . Lenda Thorpe -- Faye Anderson . . . Mr. Behrman -- Jim Dixon . . . Dr. Mallory -- Monte Davidson . . .



# speeches, poems . . .

## forensics

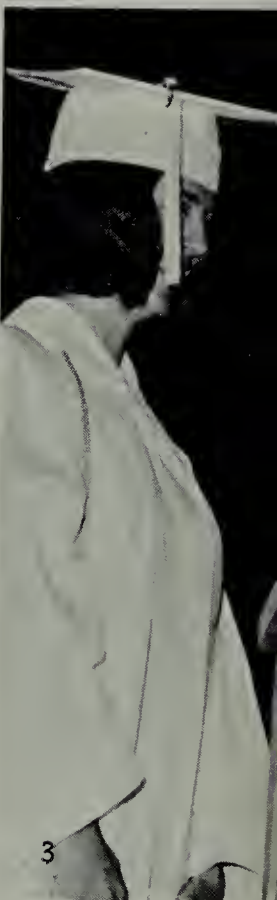
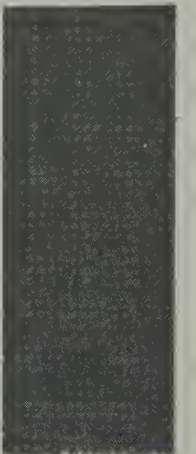
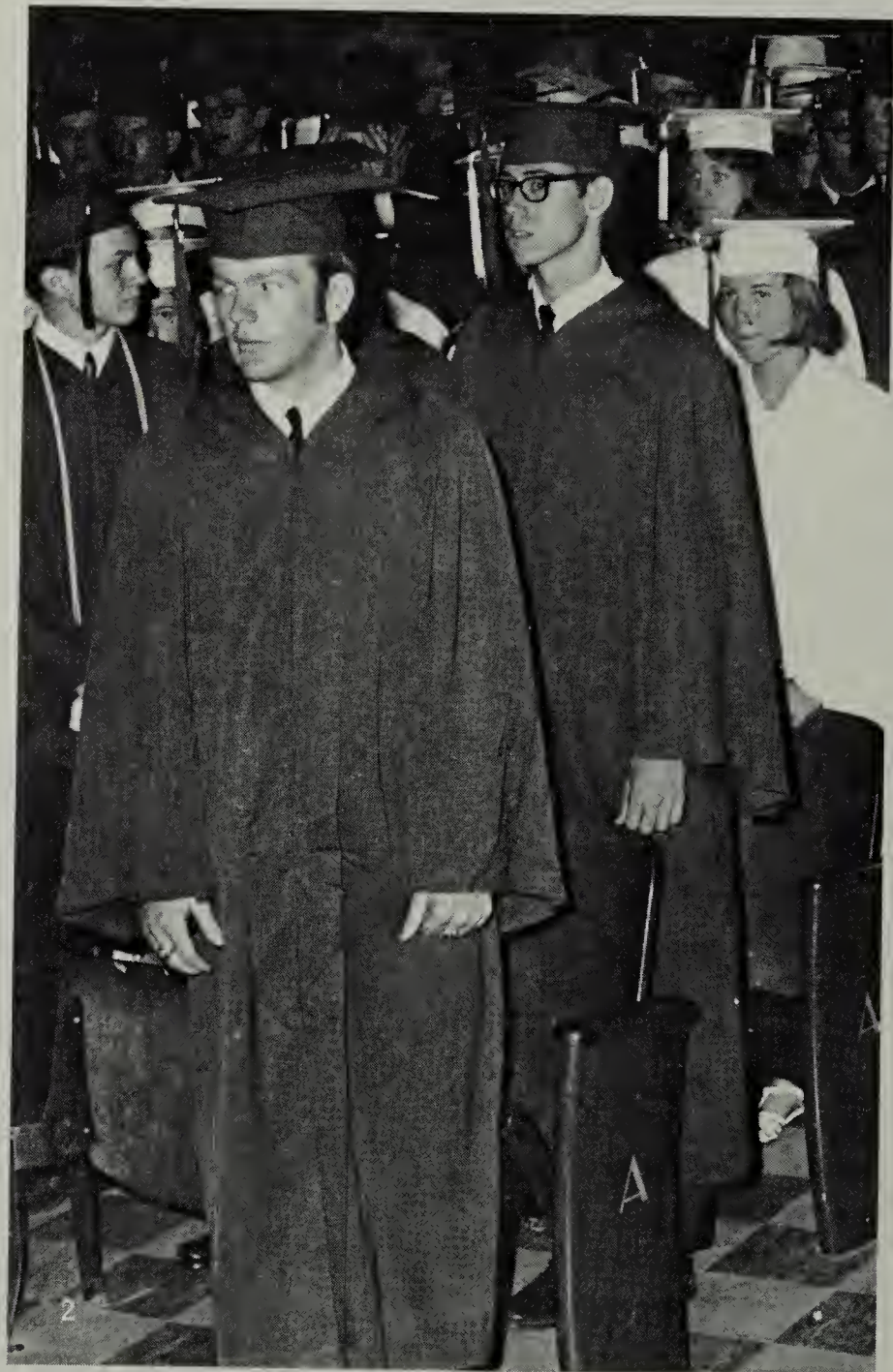
Forensics . . . a large part of the English program at A.H.S. . . . School winners: . . . 1. Jim Dixon and Susan Pinkerton -- Girl's and Boy's Prose Reading Contest First Place Winners . . . 2. Shelia Thompson and Tim Spencer -- Girl's and Boy's Poetry Reading Contest First Place Winners . . . 3. Anne Austin -- Spelling Contest Winner . . . 4. Roger Morrell and Eva Foster -- Girl's and Boy's Extemporaneous Speaking Contest First Place Winners . . . 5. Jay Matheson and Susan Hill -- Girl's and Boy's Public Speaking Contest First Place Winners . . .



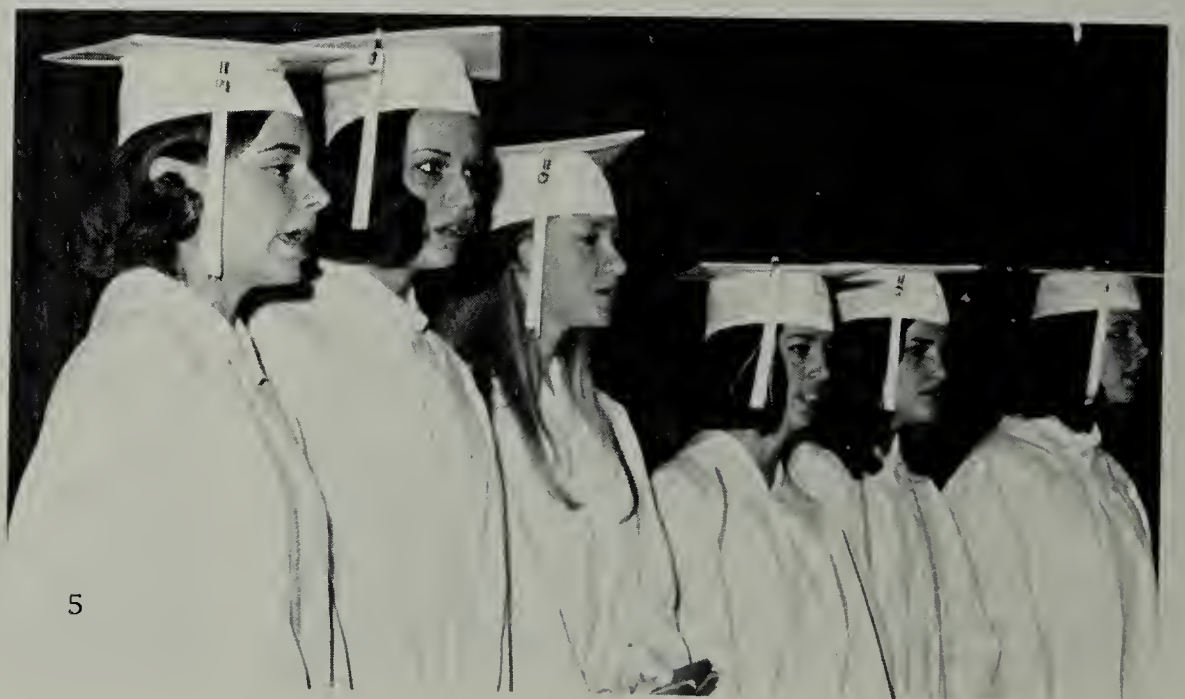


# we are poor wayfaring strangers . . .

senior assembly and senior day



1. Sandra Tignor and Francis Mitchell prepare for the Senior Assembly. 2. The seniors rise for the "School Song."





May 23, 1970 . . . wear caps and gowns  
 . . . "march in" . . . Karen Morgan pre-  
 sides . . . Class prophesy read by Esther  
 White, John Legard, and Jane Stout . . .  
 "Roger the journalist" . . . Three songs  
 by Sylvia Gawryla and Roger Morrell . . .  
 "Poor Way-faring Stranger" . . . Class  
 will read by Faye Anderson, Ken Shuman,  
 and Linda Ratliff . . . "I Bill McIntyre keep  
 it all for myself" . . . "I Dare You" awards  
 presented to Karen Ornduff and Johnny  
 Singleton . . . Attendance awards: Five  
 years -- Brenda Crosswhite and Sandra  
 Campbell . . . Ten years -- Betty Parks  
 . . . Senior Superlatives: Most School spir-

ited -- Randy Kelly and Shelia Thompson;  
 Quietest -- Sam Latham and Ruth Smith;  
 Most Studious -- David Denton and Ellen  
 Pinkerton; Best All Around -- Jack Clark  
 and Eva Foster; Most Happy-Go-Lucky --  
 Monte Davidson and Phyllis South; Most  
 Dourteous -- Bill Anderson and Gail Fuller;  
 Best Personality -- Jack Clark and Jane Stout;  
 Most Athletic -- Tom Blevins and Shelia  
 Thompson; Most Dependable -- Mac Patterson  
 and Gail Fuller; Most Talented -- Steve Fields  
 and Carol Roberts; Wittiest -- Monte David-  
 son and Phyllis South; Most Original -- Bob  
 Hefner and Sylvia Gawryla . . . The School  
 Song . . .



4



6

3. Jane Stout, John Legard, and Esther  
 White read the Class Prophesy. 4. Faye  
 Anderson, Ken Shuman, and Linda Ratliff  
 read the Class Will. 5. The class officers rise  
 for the "School Song." 6. Roger Morrell and  
 Sylvia Gawryla sing as part of the Senior  
 Assembly.



# "country garden" . . .

## junior-senior prom

May 30, 1970 . . . Martha Washington Inn  
 . . . "A Country Garden" . . . roses every-  
 where . . . a fish pond with live fish . . .  
 "The Gents" . . . "Be Young, Be Foolish, Be  
 Happy" . . . Music too loud? . . . Candles in  
 the windows . . . Rose trees . . . Sitting on  
 the porch rocking . . . Walking about the  
 grounds of the Inn . . . a beautiful evening . . .

1. Students enjoy the Junior-Senior Prom. 2. Bill Anderson and friends prepare to walk under the roses as they enter the Junior-Senior Prom.



3. Jane Stout and her fiancé along with Karen Ornduff and Jim Dixon "sit this one out" at the Junior-Senior Prom. 4. Bobby McConnell and Nery Luis sit aside at the Junior-Senior. 5. The Head Table waits for the program at the Senior Banquet. 6. Carolyn Janson proposes a toast at the Senior Banquet. 7. Carol Roberts leads the class in a toast at the Senior Banquet.





## to the class of '70 . . .

### senior banquet

May 29, 1970 . . . Greenway Party House . . .  
 place cards . . . little diplomas . . . glasses  
 with the "Class of 70" on the side . . . The  
 meal -- a buffet with ham and chicken . . .  
 Toasts to the Silent Majority, Radicals, Senior  
 Band Members, Mr. Pigman, Mr. Mathews, and  
 Senior Sponsors . . .



## a toast . . .

### senior banquet

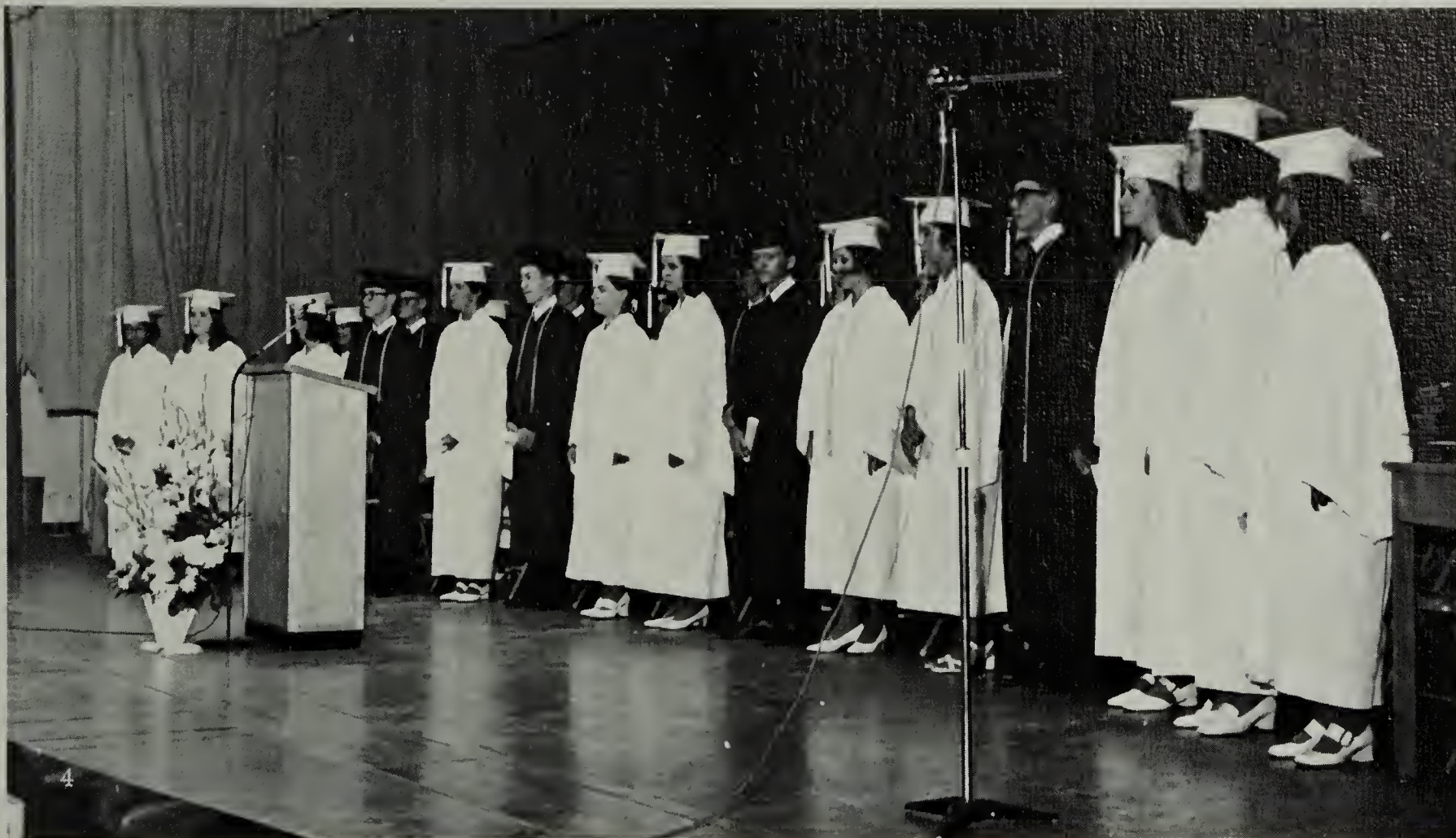
More toasts: to senior athletes, Karen Morgan class president . . . After meal entertainment : Doris Campbell and Belle Dancy read the class history on the front steps . . . Sylvia Gawryla and Roger Morrell sing . . . "Abraham, Martin, and John" . . . "Where Have All The Flowers Gone?" . . . P.T.A. awards to senior athletes presented by Mr. Mathews . . . Class present to Karen Morgan by Jane Stout -- a silver tray . . . a good time . . .



1. Faye Anderson, Linda Ratliff and Ken Shuman enjoy the Senior Banquet. 2. Marie McCollum proposes a toast to class president Karen Morgan. 3. Class president Karen Morgan accepts her gift from the senior class.







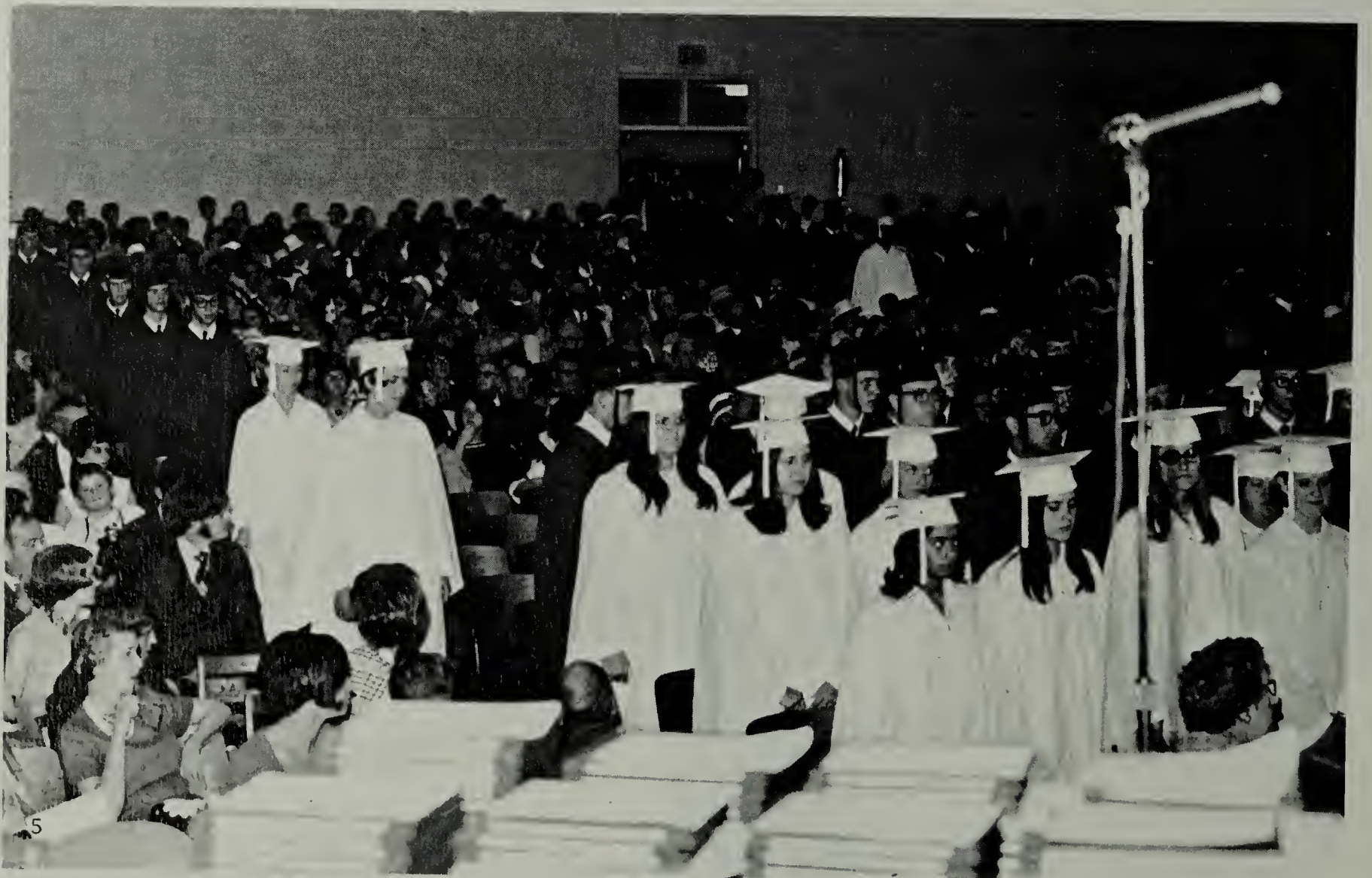
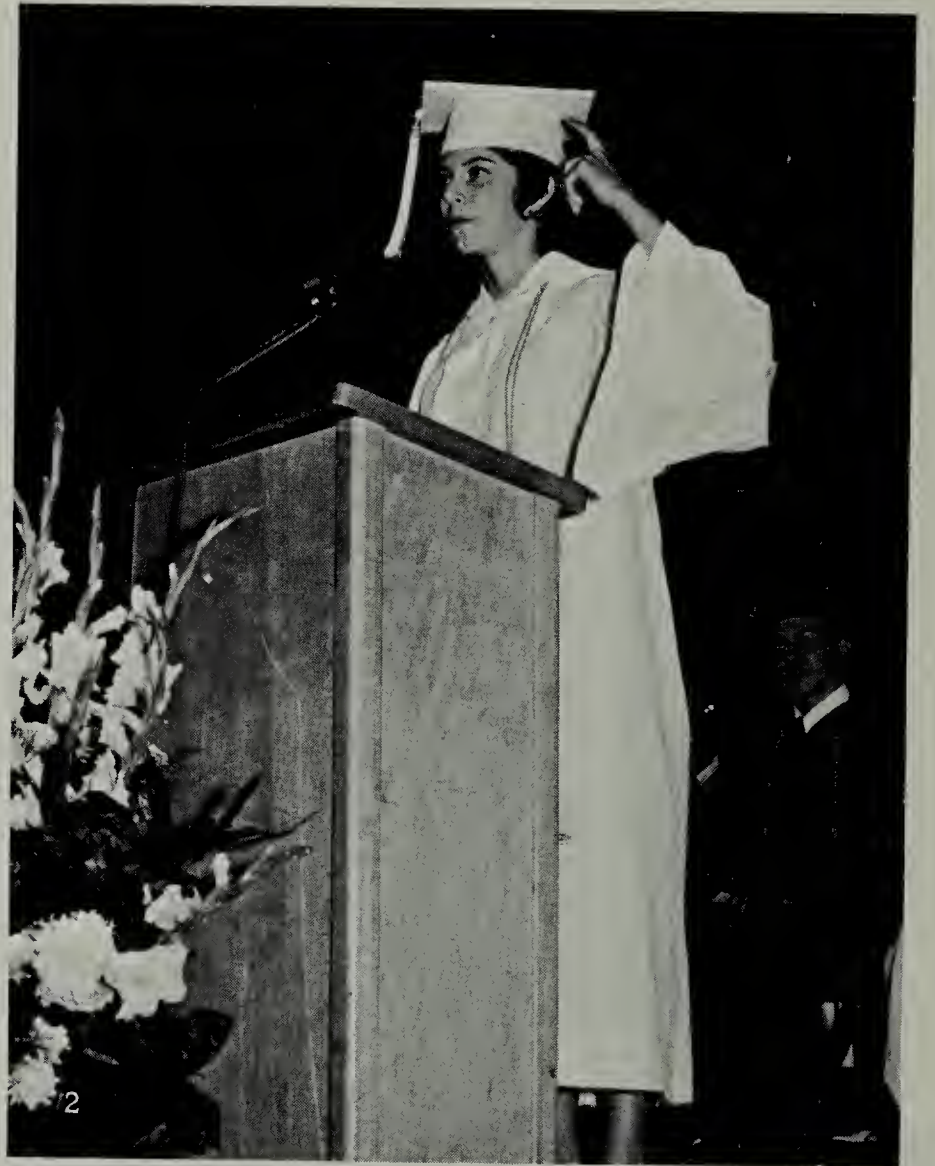
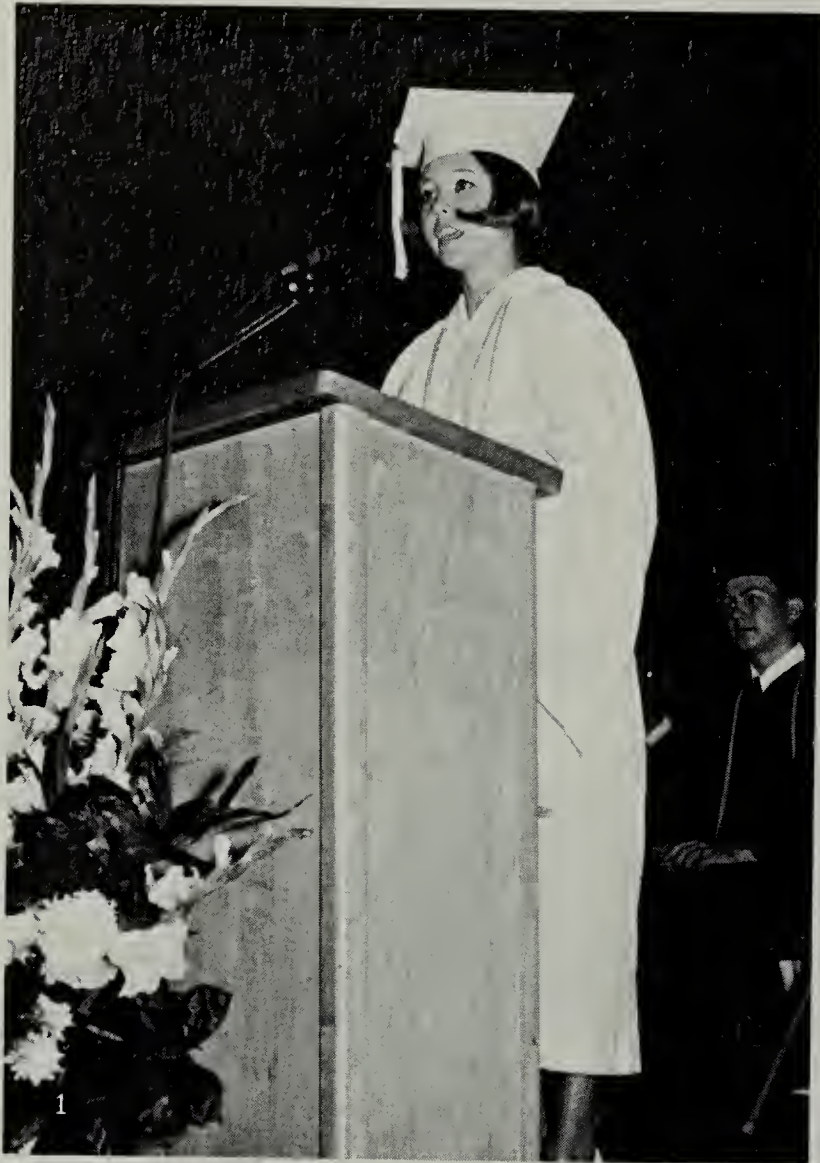
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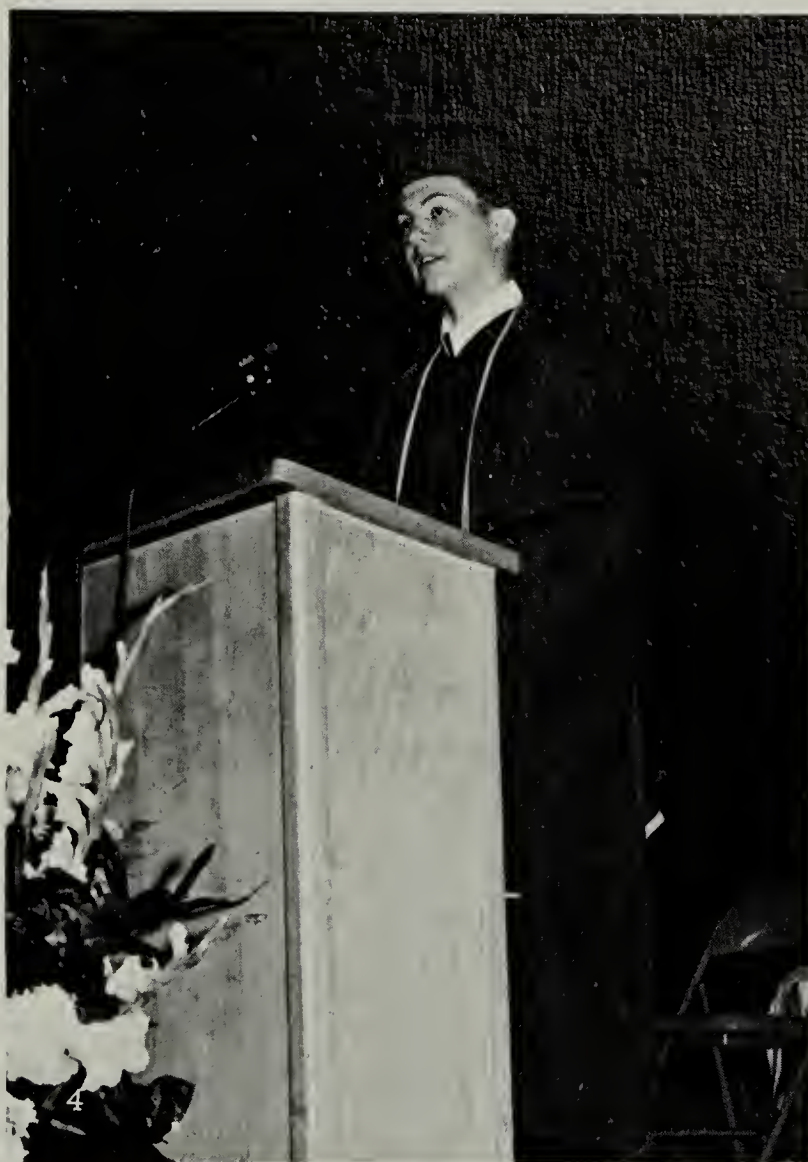
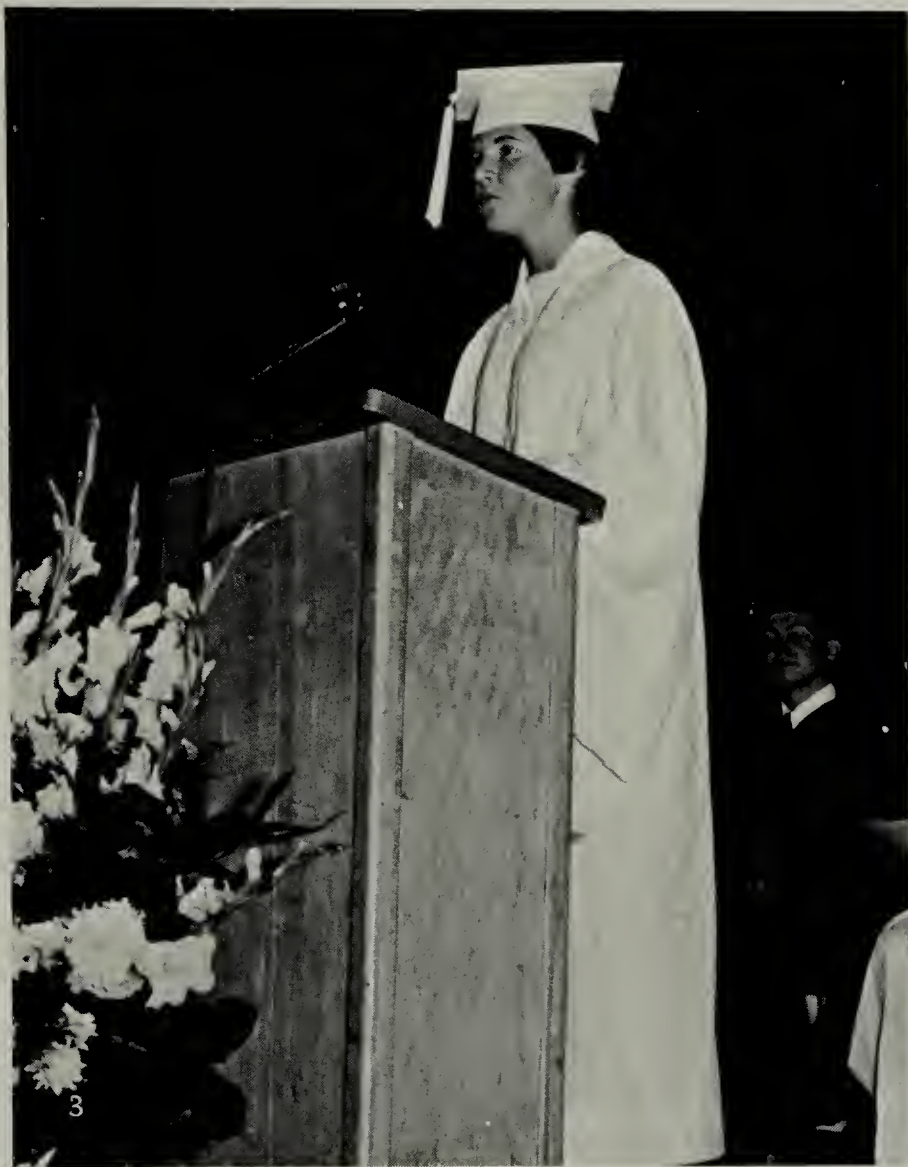
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4. Class officers and honor students wait at graduation as the rest of the class is seated. 5. The seniors sing the "School Song" at graduation. 6. Mr. Harry Denton prepares to speak at Baccalaureate.









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"Here We Are" . . . "One Hundred Forty-  
Two Individuals" . . . Ellen Lynn Pinkerton  
ton, Salutatorian . . . "How Did We Get  
Here?" . . . "Being a senior was chewing  
gum and smoking in the senior courtyard"  
. . . Eva Marion Foster, Valedictorian  
. . . "Who Are We?" . . . "The people in  
the funny hats" . . . "One hundred forty-

two very warm bodies" . . . When we were  
one the Korean War ended -- When we were  
eleven President John F. Kennedy was shot"  
. . . David Lee Denton, Valedictorian . . .  
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the top four seniors and the names of the  
top ten per cent presented . . . Presenta-  
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. . . Seniors Rise: move tassels from  
right to left . . . sing the "School Song"  
. . . Benediction -- The Reverend C.  
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1. Elizabeth Ann Cox, Salutatorian speaks on "Here We  
Are." 2. Eva Foster, Valedictorian points to her "Funny  
hat" as she tells "Who We Are." 3. The diplomas  
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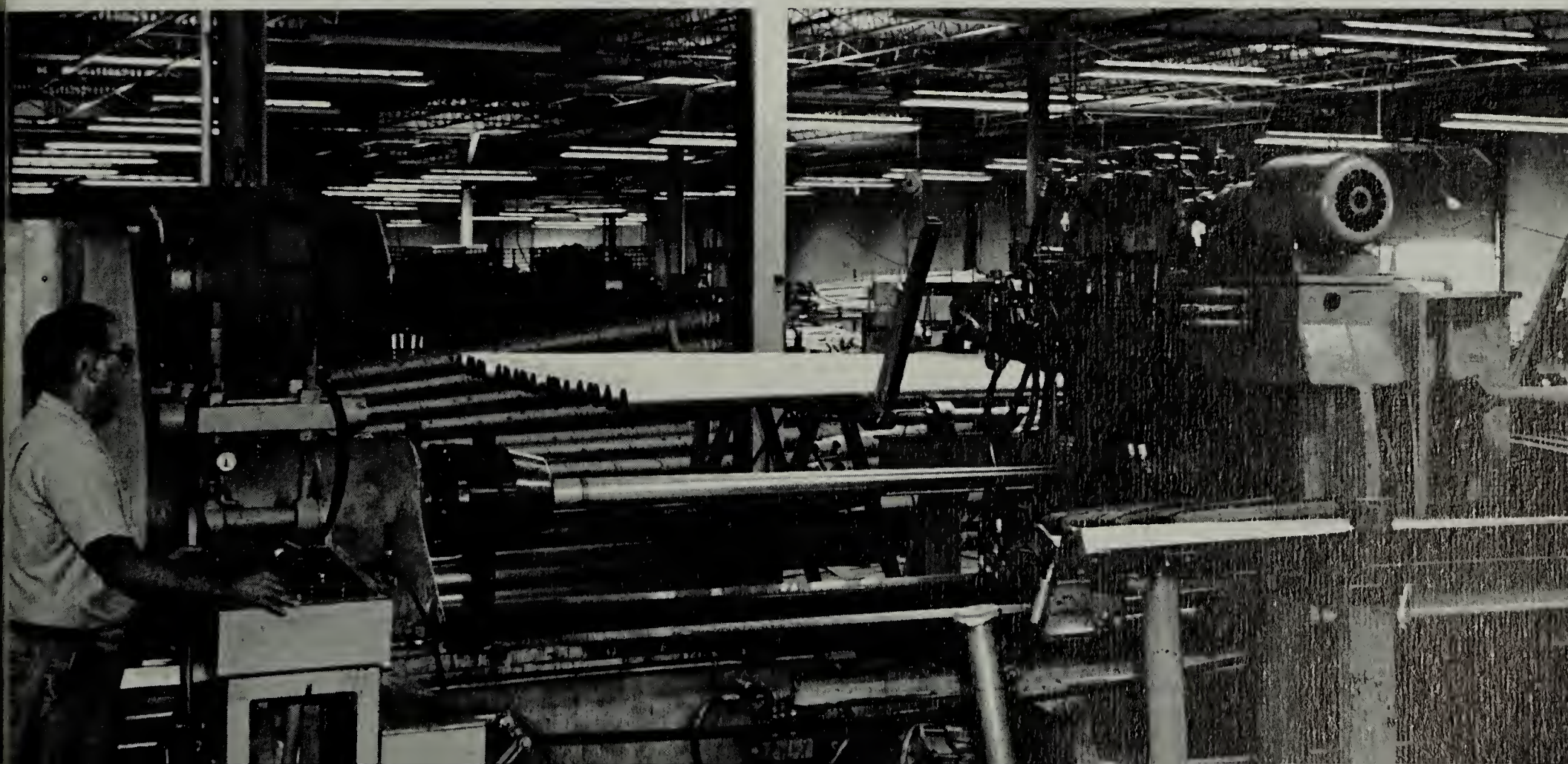




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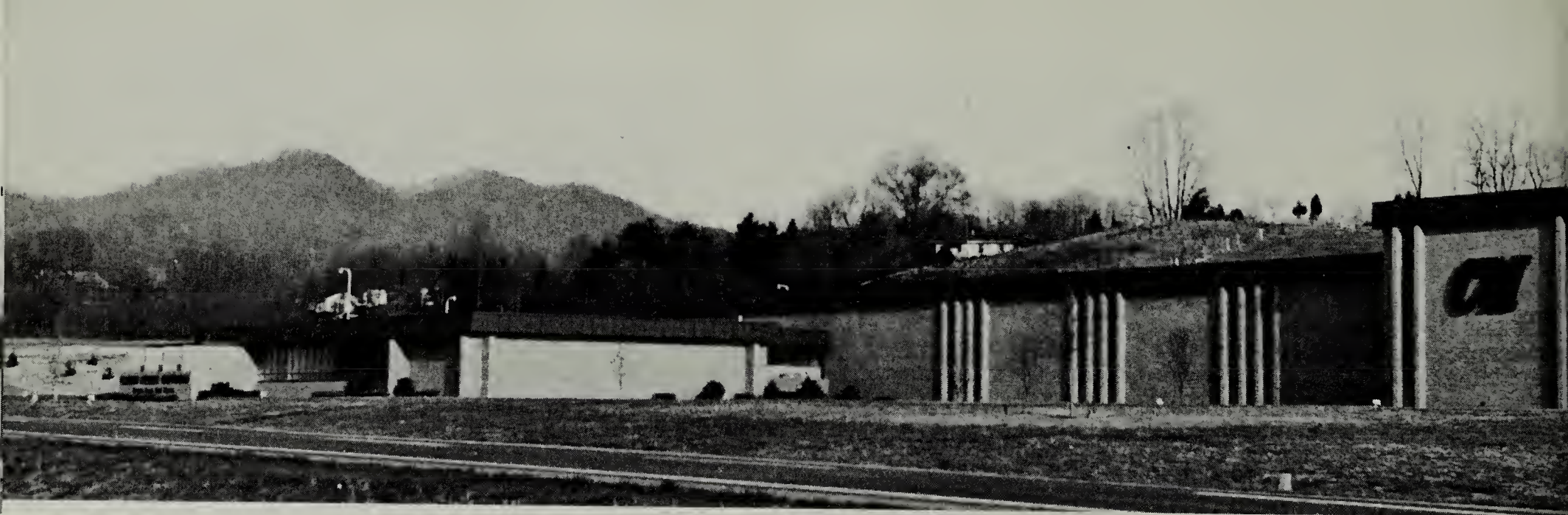
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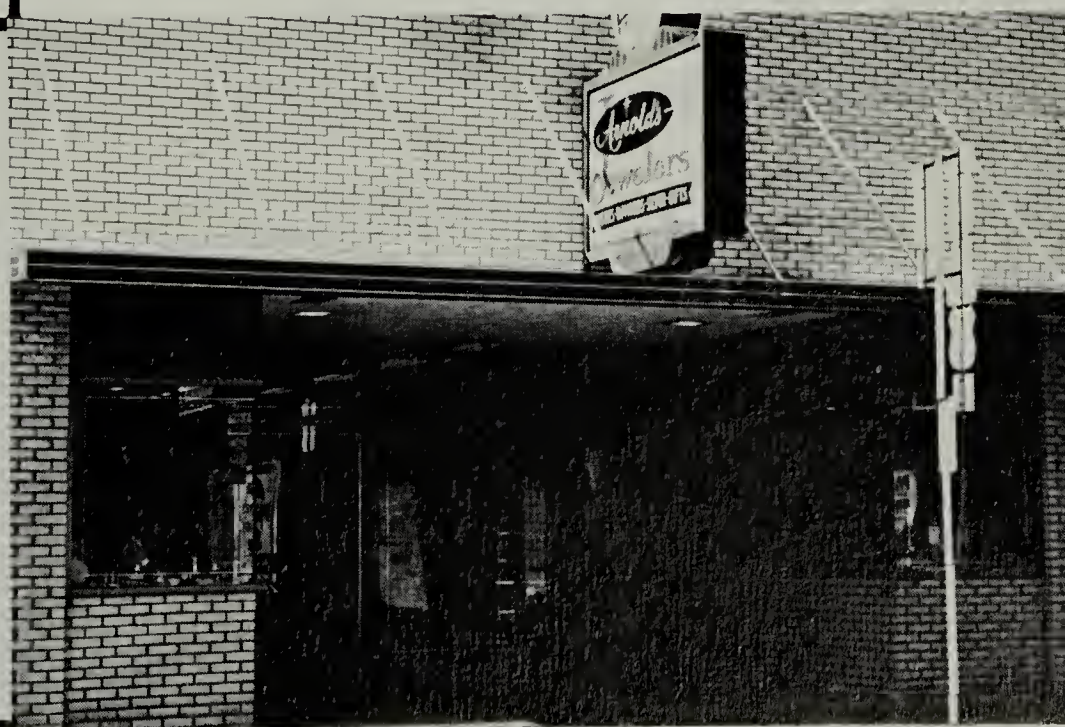
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# robins and roses bring excitement to a.h.s. . . .

## spring

Bermuda days . . . warm weather . . .  
 Spring Formal . . . "Only a few more days  
 to go" . . . Senior Assembly . . . Senior  
 Banquet . . . Junior-Senior Prom . . .

Awards Assemblies . . . Exams . . .  
 study . . . "The LAST day" . . . Gradu-  
 ation . . .



1. Steve Kroll proposes a toast at the Senior Banquet.  
 2. Mrs. Castellanos and Mrs. Smalling serve punch at  
 the Junior-Senior Prom. 3. Joe Shaffer and Mac Pat-  
 terson listen during Senior Assembly. 4. The 1970  
 Student Council president Eva Foster inducts the 1971  
 Student Council president Lindy Seamon. 5. Kermit  
 Swan pommel vaults for the Falcons. 6. John Legard, Jim  
 Dixon and Blair Frier "sing" at the S.C.A. Talent  
 Show.



# and it ended.

## epilogue

1969-70 is over . . . The cheers and yells are echoes . . . The classes have ended and books are closed . . . The class of 1970 will become workers, freshmen, servicemen, husbands, and wives . . . each trophy has been added to a case . . . 1969-70 . . . a school year like many others in many ways -- a school year unlike the others in a few ways . . . those few ways made 1969-70 a time for living . . . a special time for living.



The Interact float rides down Main Street in Abingdon during the Tobacco Festival.















































